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OUTLINES.

Monday will begin the seventh week of the trial of Harry K. Thaw in New York, and, believing that the defendant is in no condition to be tried in court, District Attorney Jerome will make every effort to get Thaw before a commission of lunacy; that has been Jerome's purpose all along and the blame is put on Lawyer Delmas for the exposure of Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw by goading Jerome into the cross-examination; Thaw has an agreement with his attorneys to resist a commission of lunacy.——In the Senate yesterday Senator Tillman introduced a resolution calling on President Roosevelt for information about the dickering over and final rejection of W. J. Oliver & Co.'s bid to complete the Panama canal; the Senator said hocus pocus seems to have gotten into the game.——Mr. J. B. McDonald, of Augusta, Ga., partner of Mr. Oliver, in an interview says the defeat of their bid was due to the machinations of the allied trans-continental railways.——In a coal mine explosion at Scranton, Pa., yesterday 14 men are hovering near death and it is believed that 30 are in the mine, probably dead.——The United States Department of Agriculture announces one of the most important devices in the history of cotton culture, a machine which will remove the fuz from cotton seed and for separating the small seed from the large ones, making planting easier and improving the method of cul- save from $7,000,000 or more save $7,000,000 or more a year on the cotton crop.——The Republicans attempted to take up the ship subsidy bill in the Senate yesterday, but the Democratic Senators filibustered and the opposition was so determined that the Republicans acknowledged defeat and despair of the passage of the bill at this session of Congress.——The United States will send several warships to Central American waters, as it is quite likely that four republics will become involved in the war between Nicaragua and Honduras.——New York markets: Money on call, nominal; time loans, strong; spot cotton steady at 11.25 cents; flour, dull and lower; wheat, steady; No. 2 red, 80 7-8 elevator; corn, steady; No. 2, 58 elevator; oats, firm; mixed, 48; turpentine, steady, 75 to 75 1-2; rosin, steady; strained, common togood, 4.45 to 4.50.

President Roosevelt wants the new football rules strictly adhered to, but when it comes to the Constitution of the United States it doesn't make so much difference about sticking to it in a game as common as politics.

According to recent statistics, this country last year imported from abroad skins to the value of $84,000,000. With Roosevelt and Tillman always skinning some fellow, it would seem that the home product would meet the demand.

More than 500 Japanese immigrants arrived in San Francisco a few days ago. If the Californians refuse to give them jobs, Japan is liable to have Roosevelt to flourish his big stick once more and order the "open door" for the Jap that wants to work.

Dr. Evans, the alienist, says Thaw killed Stanford White as the result of a "brain storm." It was White's fault that he got caught right in the track of the storm, but if his spirit could come back it would tell Dr. Evans that the thing looked more like a hurricane than it did a storm.

The best way to advertise a town is for the people who live in it to erect handsome buildings and launch new industries, thus showing their confidence in their own town. Building operations and industrial progress is the evidence of thrift that impresses and attracts outsiders.

The Savannah News queries: "How much have the Philippines cost the United States?" That question is ruled out as entirely and utterly irrelevant. Roosevelt and his party have already Harrimanized themselves by refusing to answer, having taken advantage of their constitutional right that they cannot be compelled to incriminate themselves.

In his testimony before the Inter-State Commerce Commission, E. H. Harriman declared that his quarrel with Stuyvesant Fish was because "Fish regarded the Illinois Central as his personal property." Fish might have known better than to be nibbling at any railroad when Harriman got to it first.

Mr. J. P. Lucas, formerly of the Charlotte Observer, has assumed the editorship of the Winston-Salem Journal, which is to be published under the auspices of a re-organized company. The paper is to be greatly improved, will have a good press telegraph and State service, and with Editor Lucas at the helm, it is bound to be a credit to Winston-Salem. Mr. Lucas is a brilliant young man, and that he graduated from the Charlotte Observer shop is credentials a plenty for any newspaper man.

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SENATORS RAMPANT

McLean and Graham Protest Against Alleged Unfair Treatment and Judge Winborne, of House, Scores The Times.

(By Southern Bell Telephone.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 2.—There were three personal privilege sensations in the Legislature today, the fiercest of all being that tonight during the session of the House by Representative Winborne, of Hertford, as a member of the railway rate conference committee. He heaped abuse on the editor of the Evening Times. That paper had charged that the conference committee on railroads and railroad rates had allowed the editor of the News and Observer to have the committee include all railroads over 60 miles in length in the 2 1-4 cents rate merely to spite Henry A. Page, of the Aberdeen and Asheboro, for attacks made by Mr. Page on the editor of the News and Observer. Mr. Winborne had branded this charge as false yesterday, and said if the editor of The Times was a gentleman and had any manhood, he would retract. This afternoon the Times reiterated the charge as from an authoritative source and made no apology. Mr. Winborne said the editor of the Times had failed to do the part of an honorable gentleman. He would brand him as an unqualified traducer of private character, fit only to associate with the howling spirits of Hades and not worthy of the consideration due a toad frog. He understood that one H. E. C. Bryant, of Charlotte, had sent charges similar to those published in the Times to the Charlotte Observer, and if that were the case the same denunciation that he had applied to the editor of the Times he would apply to Mr. Bryant.

In the Senate this morning Mr. McLean read from the News and Observer a report of his appearance before a legislative committee considering the Lumberton charter bill and branded the whole statement as maliciously false as to him. He said this was the last time he would rise to a personal privilege at this session, but he wanted the representative of the News and Observer in the press box to take notice for the staff that unless the policy of slandering him stopped he would take the matter in his own hands and apply the cow hide to the man who did it.

Senator Graham arose to a personal privilege to answer a charge made yesterday by Senator Turner of Pasquotank, that he (Graham) was an object of pity in the matter of his connection with the railway rate legislation; that the people had asked for bread and Graham's bill would have given them a stone. Senator Graham wanted it understood he had acted for the best interest of the people as he saw it, in contending for first and second class rates. Some of his opponents might return to their constituents and have stones hurled at them for the rate they had fixed.

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FOUGHT IN STREET

Some Excitement Yesterday Afternoon at Front and Princess Streets—Stranger Causes Two Citizens to Mix Uu.

A fight on Front street, near the street car junction, east side, attracted an unusually large crowd yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock. R. J. Ketchum, a white man of about 50 years of age from Mullins, S. C., had been ejected from a street car a little further down the street for profane language or for unbecoming conduct in the public conveyance and persisted in taking hold of the car after he had been put off. Mr. Lutie Croom, who was formerly employed on the cars, saw that the man was liable to get hurt after the start had been made and pulled him off to one side. Ketchum thought this was an unwarranted interference with his liberties and applied a vile epithet to young Croom, the langugage being what is ordinarily calculated to bring on blows down this way. Mr. J. R. Kennedy, the well known mail clerk, was seated in the car and not having heard the circumstances jumped off and had words that almost amounted to blows with young Croom with whom he remonstrated for striking an old man. Special Officer J. H. Williams came up about this time and placed Messrs. Croom and Kennedy under arrest. Ketchum wandered around in the crowd and finally attempted to board the car again when he was put off by Motorman Jorgensen for indulging in profane language. Policeman W. R. Appleberry came up about this time and placed Ketchum under arrest. He was sent to the police station where he later employed. Woodus Kellum, Esq., and gave bond for his appearance before the Mayor Monday at noon. He had something over $25 on his person when arrested. Messrs. Kennedy and Croom were recognized for their appearance Tuesday.

Mr. Ketchum reached the city Friday night from Mullins and with his wife and child were stopping at The Orton. A pathetic scene was the appearance of the wife at the patrol wagon when her husband was being sent up to the police station. He is a man of prominence in his town and the affair is regretted by his friends. Ketchum is charged with disorderly conduct and Messrs. Croom and Kennedy are charged with engaging in an affray. Mr. Kennedy was led into the affair purely on a misunderstanding of the circumstances and his innate respect for old age.

There was some criticism of the non-appearance of a policeman for some little time after the affair had occurred but when it is considered there is but one officer from the river to Third street and from Princess to Orange street, and on the oher side from Princess to the railroad, the criticism does not seem to be deserved. Chairman Karr, of the Police Committee, says that he will have a man detailed to special duty at Front and Princess street until further notice.

IN THE LEGISLATURE

Holt Freight Rate Bill Passed—Revenue and Machinery Act—Sampson County Measure is Law. Separate Races on Cars.

(By Southern Bell Telephone.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 2.—The Senate spent a greater part of the session today discussing the Holt freight rate bill, designed to reduce freight rates in the city to counteract the disadvantages to which North Carolina shippers were subject on account of the Virginia City gateway rate. The bill finally passed its readings with a number of amendments including one by Senator McLean that the Corporation Commission shall allow such fund for transfer from one line to another as may be deemed just and reasonable and another by Mr. Kluttz that no change of classification that would affect rates shall be made by the railroads after the passage of this act without the approval of the Corporation Commission. There was practically no opposition to the bill as amended.

The bill for the State to guarantee the bonds of the Transcontinental Railroad from Knoxville, Tenn., via Asheville, to Greenville, S. C., was discussed and defeated on the second reading by 15 to 26.

Among bills passed by the Senate were the following: Authorize New Hanover and Pender counties to contruct highway and bridge over Northeast river; authorize Whiteville to vote on bond issue; amend charter of Columbia; improve Richmond roads; amend and consolidate charter of Charlotte; authorize special tax for Southern Pines; amend charter of Lumberton; authorize Robeson to issue bonds for new court house; permit railroads to condemn lands for double tracking.

The Revenue and Machinery acts were read for the first time in the Senate, just as it came from the House.

Among bills introduced in the House were:

Douglass, prevent the manufacture of denatured alcohol in North Carolina.

Manning, amend revisal as to removing cloud from property titles.

Taylor, extend time for hunting deer in Brunswick.

Manning, for the aid and support of Jackson Training School and Reformatory.

McNeill, amend revisal relative to water supply for Fayetteville.

MacRae, aid farmers in working crops.

Wells, authorize special election school tax in Burgaw township.

Wells, by request, to appoint finance committee for Pender.

Buchran, amend charter of Carthage.

On motion of Mr. Manning the House reconsidered the vote by which on yesterday it passed on three separate readings the railroad rate bill as it came from the conference committee. This was because the Senate had ruled it was only necessary to adopt the conference report, the

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ITS ANNUAL BANQUET

Fifty-Second Annual Affair By Wilmington Chamber of Commerce Thursday Night.

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS

Mr. R. H. Edmonds, Governors Heyward and Glenn, Congressmen Godwin, Small and Patterson Coming—Others Expected.

All arrangements are complete for the fifty-second annual banquet of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, which will be given on the evening of Thursday of this week at The Hotel Orton, beginning at 9 o'clock. The committee in charge of this annual gathering of Wilmington business men has been energetically at work on the arrangements, and it is safe to predict from the list of distinguished speakers, who have accepted invitations to be present, that the banquet will be one of the most notable commercial events that has taken place in Wilmington in a generation. A partial list of the speakers and their subjects is as follows:

"The Old South as an Inspiration for the Present South," Mr. Richard H. Edmonds, editor and publisher of the Baltimore Manufacturers' Record.

"Immigration," Hon D. C. Heyward, ex-Governor of South Carolina and President of the Southern Immigration Association.

"North Carolina and the Cape Fear Section—Its Past, Present and Future," Governor Robert Broadnax Glenn, of North Carolina.

"Extension of Inland Waterway South," Hon. John H. Small, member of Congress from the First North Carolina District.

"The Cape Fear Section—One and Indivisible," Hon. Hannibal L. Godwin, member of Congress from the Sixth District of North Carolina.

Among the distinguished guests who are expected in addition to the above are President T. M. Emerson, of the Atlantic Coast Line; Hon. G. B. Patterson, retiring Congressman from this district and through whose influence in the National legislative body Wilmington has just secured the largest amount ever appropriated for her river and harbor improvement; Major Ridgeway and staff of officers in command of the army post at Fort Caswell, and others whose names are not yet announced. President J. A. Taylor, of the Chamber of Commerce, has accepted an invitation of the committee to preside as toastmaster, and covers will be laid for something over a hundred. As the list is limited and nearly all the places have been assigned, it is imperative that members of the Chamber who desire to attend the banquet, hand their names to Secretary Kyle on tomorrow.

Music for the banquet will be furnished by Kneissel's Orchestra and the decorations of the banquet room will be a pleasing feature. Last year's banquet at The Orton was possibly the most distinguished ever spread in Wilmington, but the scale of arrangements this year is even more magnificent. Manager Hinton, of the hotel, has entered into the spirit of the occasion with his accustomed zeal to please his guests, and that bespeaks no end of bright augury for the event.

The distinguished visitors who have been invited to Wilmington on this occasion will be entertained at the homes of Wilmington people, and quite apart from the annual banquet they will be shown many other attentions in a personal way.

CITY HALL PUMP WATER

Postal Card Acknowledgment—Suppy Declared to be Good, but Dark.

Dr. Charles T. Harper, City Superindent of Health, has received a postal card acknowledgment of the sample of City Hall pump water recently sent to the Biological Laboratory of the North Carolina Board of Health. The report says: "A complete examination indicates that the water is good quality. In the meantime the following recommendations are made: Nothing wrong with water. Color unusually dark." The language of the report seems to indicate that a fuller bacteriological analysis of the water will be sent later. This is what is desired to set at rest the numerous reports of the possible contamination of the supply. The report received yesterday is signed by Gerald McCarthy, Biologist.

Operation For Appendicitics.

The hosts of friends of Miss Bessie LeGwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. LeGwin, will regret to know that she has appendicitis at the James Walker Memorial Hospital in this city. She was brought home from the State Normal and Industrial College at Greensboro Thursday in a critical condition and underwent an operation at the hospital by Drs. Bulluck and W. J. H. Bellamy on Friday. Her many friends will be glad to know that yesterday the operation gave every indication of being successful and that the patient was doing well.

C. L. Abernethy Solicitor.

Governor Glenn last night issued a commission to C. L. Abernethy, Esq., of Beaufort, as solicitor of the Third Judicial District, vice Solicitor Larry I. Moore, of Greenville, N. C., resigned.

OFFICERS SHOT DOWN

One Dead and Two Perhaps Fatally Wouuded in Fayetteville Last Night.

BLOODHOUNDS REQUESTED

Chief Chason and Two of His Men Fired Upon by Desperate Negro Who Was Later Captured. Governor Orders Military.

Policeman Owen Lockamy was shot and instantly killed; Chief of Police A. Chason was mortally wounded, and Policeman Fred Buckingham was dangerous wounded, by Tom Walker, a desperate negro, in the outskirts of Fayetteville, near Cross Creek cemetery, last night between 7 and 8 o'clock. The officers had gone to quell a disturbance at a house, and to make a search for whiskey as the common report was that Walker ran a blind tiger. While the men were in the house making the search, it is the report that he ran out in the yard and under the cover of darkness emptied the chamber of one or more revolvers into the officers, Policeman Lockamy falling dead at the first shot. The negro then made his escape, but was captured at an early hour this morning at Dunn, N. C. These are about the latest facts, as they were gathered by The Star this morning over long distance telephone. It is said that the negro will be taken by the sheriff and sworn deputies from Dunn to Raleigh, N. C., for safe keeping.

A long distance telephone message from Fayetteville at 3:30 o'clock this morning states that all is quiet there. Chief Chason is still alive at the hospital, but there is absolutely no chance for his recovery. The sheriff and deputies have quietly gone to Dunn, and have taken the negro to Raleigh for safekeeping. Had he been brought to Fayetteville a lynching would most certainly have resulted. Officer Buckingham was not doing so well this morning, and, too, may die during the day. The military has left the armory, and it is not believed that their services will be needed.

Early in the night there came a request to Wilmington for bloodhounds. Constable Savage was advised from the Star office of the request of the Fayetteville officials, and they were immediately put in communication with Atlantic Coast Line people with the result that a special train was chartered for conveying Mr. Savage and the man trailer to the upper Cape Fear City. As the train was preparing to leave about midnight a long distance telephone message was received stating that the negro had been captured and the order for the hound was annulled. Immediately the information was wired to Governor Glenn in view of the possibility of a lynching, in case the negro was captured in Fayetteville and the Governor at once placed the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry, in command of Capt. N. H. McGeachey, under orders of the sheriff and mayor, instructing them to preserve order at any cost.

The streets were crowded with Saturday night throngs and immediately the news of the shootings of the officers became known hundreds of men organized themselves into searching parties and the country was being scoured for miles around. It was subsequently learned that Walker boarded a freight passing and had reached Dunn, where he was preparing to board a passenger train when he was overtaken by local parties and Mr. E. K. Taylor, a Fayetteville man, who with others had followed on the next passing freight and arrived just in time to identify the negro. It was stated at 1 o'clock this morning that there was no question of the identification, and that Taylor has confessed that he was the man wanted. Mr. Taylor said that he knew the negro well and could not be mistaken in the man.

Policeman Lockamy is a very popular officer, 27 or 30 years old, and leaves a wife and children. Officer Chason, the chief, was conveyed to the hospital in Fayetteville, where he was once reported dead at 10:30 o'clock last night. His recovery is impossible. One ball entered by the nose on the left side and ranged backward. Dr. Highsmith, woh was summoned, ran a probe in the wound the depth of five or six inches, but was unable to locate the bullet. He was unconscious from the first and a gurgling sound indicates internal hemorrhage. He was also shot in the foot. Policeman Buckingham is shot in the shoulder and may recover. He is also at the hospital.

The negro had been before the courts several times for running a blind tiger but was always fortunate enough to escape and to receive a good character from responsible citizens, who were, perhaps, too careless in testifying. It was stated in Fayetteville early this morning that there was no indication of mob violence, but that the negro was probably being taken away for safe keeping. The following special telegram was received by the Star comparatively early in the night:

Fayetteville, N. C., March 2.—Tonight at 7 o'clock Chief of Police Chason and two policemen, Lockamy and

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COST OF THE PHILIPPINES.

Senator Clay, of Georgia, a few days ago introduced a resolution in the United States Senate, calling upon the President and Secretary of War for information as to what the Philippines had cost this country. As a matter of course, a Republican Senate sat down on the impertinent Georgian, but he put them in the refuse-to-answer class. The Norfolk Landmark, thinking over this matter, says:

"President Roosevelt is a great preacher of publicity. Let him practice it by giving the country the facts as to the total cost of the Philippines since "benevolent assimilation" began. The President's party in Congress has voted down a resolution to turn on the light. There can be no other reason for this than that the facts are startling. The politicians who are concealing the truth must be both ashamed and afraid of it. Surely, Mr. Roosevelt is not one of these. Surely, he does not believe in the old and dishonorable policy of "addition, division, and silence." He is not by nature one of that kind."

Oh, we don't know so much about that. Our observation is that when Uncle Ephraim gets him in a corner, President Roosevelt can play 'possum all the same as the genuine marsupial. We have not failed to notice that it is mighty easy for the President to slip on his gum shoes when it suits him to get around a question.

The Landmark goes on to declare that the President "ought to cause the official figures of the expense of the Philippines to be made public, thus squaring his record as to publicity."

We would all like to know how much money has really gone out of the United States Treasury on account of our Asiatic colonies, but it might not be good public policy to let plebians know anything about it. We have no doubt that the amount of treasure and life expended in that colonial venture would amaze and appal the American people. The Savannah Morning News, sympathizing with the curiosity of Bacon, says:

"In June, 1904 Judge Alton B. Parker estimated that the cost of the Islands up to that time had been $650,000,000; ex-Secretary of State Richard Olney estimated the cost at $700,000,000, and Edward Atkinson, the statistician, placed the figures at $1,200,000,000. Secretary Taft, in a speech in October, 1904, made an estimate of $204,000,000, but it has been asserted that the Secretary left out of his estimate numerous items legitimately chargeable to the Philippine budget. Senator Clay endeavored to collect data from the published reports to which Senator Lodge referred him, and according to his figures the present cost to this government of its occupation of the Philippines is running between $65,000,000 and $75,000,000 per annum; and in the absence of positive and official proof to the contrary, Senator Clay's figures are as reliable as those of anybody else; probably a great deal more reliable than many of the estimates coming from administration sources.

"Leaving out of consideration the thousands of American lives that have been sacrificed in the Philippines—which were valuable beyond calculation—is it in the least likely that this country will ever be compensated in any manner for its outlay? We are protecting the Filipinos against themselves and foreign aggression, we are told; but will the knowledge of this deed well done be worth a thousand millions of dollars to us?

"The people have a right to know what the Philippines are costing. It is their money that is being expended. Senator Clay will be commended for his effort to obtain the wanted information, and the administration will be blamed for failing to supply it."

A VIRGINIA SENSATION.

Elsewhere in The Star today we publish an article from the Washington Post, indicating an amazing and serious discovery in Virginia. The discovery involves a curious phase of the race question, and it is attracting wide attention in Virginia and elsewhere. The question which is attracting so much notice in and out of the Old Dominion was raised by Mrs. Doss and other Pittsylvania county white people, who refused to send their children to a public school because it admitted children with negro blood in their veins. Mrs. Davis called the attention of the Governor to the matter, and the Governor had the State Superintenden of Public Instruction to make an investigation into the complaints and the facts.

The investigation bore out the truth of the complaint of Mrs. Doss and her neighbors, and brought about the very astounding revelation that under the Virginia Code a taint of negro blood, so long as it be not one-fourth, is not recognized as stamping a man or woman as colored. On the contrary, such persons with less than one-fourth infusion of African blood are declared legally white and entitled to be rated as such under the Code. According to law it develops that unless the taint is one-fourth, persons who may have had negro progenitors in a distant line, are permitted to intermarry with any white person of the Commonwealth, where such alliance is mutual, as a matter of course.

Virginians generally were not aware of such a condition, and the matter is creating a furore and arouses such a sentiment that the General Assembly will be called upon repeal the portion of the Code that openly recognizes miscegenation.

THE ATLANTIC MONTHLY.

Among the welcome March arrivals at The Star sanctum is The Atlantic Monthly, America's magazine with a distinctive character and tone of its own. The March number possesses special charm for the reader with literary taste, for the table of contents has in store for him poetry, romance and contributed productions of high merit and absorbing interest. Among the poetic gems is one by Thomas Aldrich Bailey, who contributes some verse on the occasion of the centenary of Longfellow, besides a score of featured articles, one of which is of peculiar interest in the South. It is by Morris Schaff, who writes of "The Spirit of Old West Point," mentioning a number of Southerners and incidentally bringing in incidents of the Civil War, General Ramseur, of North Carolina, being mentioned. The Atlantic Monthly is on sale at 35 cents per copy and is sent a year for $4. Address Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 4 Park Street, Boston.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The top of the morning to Congressman Small, of North Carolina! In spite of Speaker Cannon, he's got the inland waterway project really under way at last; and as he and Senator Simmons could get only a part at a time, we don't blame them for taking the North Carolina part first. Of course, the waterway will not be complete until it gets to Norfolk. That won't be so very long, we're thinking. —Norfolk Landmark.

—Governments will generally conform, in any period, to the needs of the governed, and these needs make themselves felt sooner or later in unmistakable ways. On the other hand, not even Mr. Roosevelt is to be feared as an upholder of the principle of the expansion of federal power if the body of the people do not sympathize with his views. In specific cases he yields very quickly to the state rights idea, if he discovers that his assertion of federal power is repudiated by public sentiment. — Springfield Republican (Ind.)

—Seator Buxton's bill to establish a state board of equalization for the assessment of real estate in North Carolina is an important measure which deserves careful consideration. The question of assessments and taxation is vexed and complicated and generally the impression is that the corporations pay full value while the private citizen does not. When a man buys property for a certain amount and returns it at less than one half the purchase price, giving that valuation under oath, not much is said and nobody is inclined to prosecute him for perjury. Mr. Buxton's bill aims at the evil and seeks to bring about a more equitable adjustment.—Raleigh Times.

—Mr. Bryan's easy, extemporaneous method of dealing with the trust problem is quite in the spirit of the times. It is Mr. Roosevelt's way. Look around until you find some abuse, picture it forth to the people as a scaly monster beyond the strength of the states to control, belabor it until you have attracted attention and made yourself popular as a deliverer of the enslaved, then rush to Congress with the suggestion of a bill—the vaguer the suggestion is the safer it will be—to draw the teeth of the monster and tie his legs. Then make a prodigious fuss over your achievement in speech and writing and leave the lawmaking body to work out the statutory solution. If the legislators raise constitutional objections, denounce them as traitors and the slaves of the trusts. Few practical reforms are thus achieved, but it is a first rate way to make political capital.—New York Times (Ind.)

TWINKLINGS.

—"Whether a man is suffering from "exaggerated ego" and "brain storm," or is simply a victim of bats in his belfry, depends entirely upon the size of his wad.—Washington Herald.

—Higgins—"I understand your son is pursuing his studies at college." Wiggins—"Yes, but from what I can ascertain, I don't believe he will ever catch up with them."—Chicago Daily News.

—"Now, Mr. Jenks, would you recognize the existence of a higher, or unwritten law?" "No, sir. I'd try a millianaire just the same as I would a common laborer." "Talesman excused!"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—Husband—"Where did I leave my spectacles last night?" Wife—"Let me see, I saw them somewhere, but I can't remember where it was." Husband—"That's just like a woman—can't remember anything."—Chicago News.

—"I've got a good conundrum for you." "I give it up." "But you haven't heard it." "That doesn't make any difference." "Why not?" "Well, you see, I think that everybody should give up something in Lent, and I give up all conundrums."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

—"I wisht," said Hungry Hank, wistfully, "dat I Wuz one of dese here Filipeener fellers dat likes dog fer dinner." "Wot fer?" inquired Fatigued Philip. "Jes' think o' havin' a good dinner sicked onter yer every day—comin' right over de fence at yer!"—Cleveland Leader.

—"You're not going to bar me out, are you," the newly-arrived spirit pleaded. "I guess not," replied St. Peter. "You are the street railway magnate, aren't you?" "Why-aw-yes, sir." "Well, just hang onto one of those straps over there for eternity or so."—Philadelphia Press.

—"Oh, but you mustn't blame me for my ancestors, you know." "I don't I blame them for you."—Pick-Me-Up.

—"That speech of yours was very carefully prepared," said one statesman. "Yes," answered the other. "I took great pains with it. I don't think I said anything that I won't be able to retract at any time without embarrassment."—Washington Star.

SHOULD LIVE 100 YEARS

Sir James Crichton Brown's Opinion.

Sir James Crichton Brown, of England, at the Congress of the Royal Institute of Public Health in London, gave a lecture on old age. He states that if every person should live right and take the proper care, to live one hundred years would be a matter of course.

There is no excuse for feebleness at the age of fifty, sixty, or even seventy. In every person there is a constant change taking place in the system, and just so long as the supply equals or exceeds the waste, just so long will old age be warded off.

When one finds their energies flagging, the organs acting slowly and less effectually, the blood sluggish, and in fact "feel old," then there is nothing known to medicine that will restore elasticity to the step, brightness to the eyes, vigor to brain and muscle, and strength to every organ in the body, so surely as our real cod liver preparation, Vinol.

Vinol contains in a concentrated form all of the medicinal body-building elements of cods' livers, the useless oil eliminated and tonic iron added.

We ask every old person in Wilmington to try Vinol on our offer to return money if not satisfied. Robert R. Bellamy, Druggist.

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They scowled and looked sour from morn till night,
They never would agree;
Now they are healthy, happy and bright,
They both take Rocky Mountain Tea at night.
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PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

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GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE

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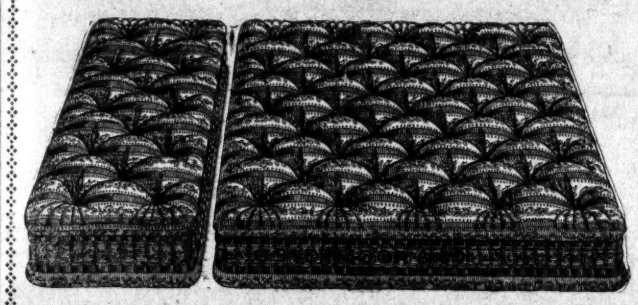

The justly celebrated Ostermoor, which you have been told is the best. Also the $30.00 Special French Edge offered by the Manufacturer during the month of February at $18.50. Call and examine them.

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Our prices can be met only by those who, like us, buy in car lots and pay spot cash.

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OF WILMINGTON.
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Every customer can rely on careful consideration of his wants.

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'Phone your order—we deliver the goods.

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"BRUSH SHELLS"
The Thing For Bird Shooting.
These shells give an open pattern at from 25 to 30 yards in choke bore guns. They are loaded in "Leader" and "Repeater" brands.
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Expert Cutter
Will be at A. SHRIER'S Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, February 25, 26 and 27, to take measures for
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Call in and examine the best custom tailoring line in this country. Every garment slod under a guarantee to fit and give satisfaction.
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STATEMENT

Report of the Condition of the Southern National Bank at Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the Close of Business, January 26, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 671,990 53
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		5,664 54
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		200,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		9,296 88
Banking House furniture and fixtures		5,979 23
Due from National banks (not reserve agents)		280,644 67
Due from State banks and bankers		204,077 24
Due from approved reserve agents		75,331 80
Checks and other cash items		5,409 18
Exchanges for clearing house		10,771 48
Notes of other National banks		1,479 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		389 35
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$16,650	
Legal tender notes	8,000	24,650 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		10,298 35
Total		$1,555,982 25

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 200,000 00
Surplus fund	100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	15,114 60
Reserved for unearned discount	2,000 00
National bank notes outstanding	200,000 00
Due to other national banks	161,226 00
Due to State banks and bankers	206,993 70
Due to Trust Companies and Savings banks	110,602 39
Due to approved reserve agents	131,162 11
Individual Deposits, subject to check	267,517 11
Certified checks	231 42
United States deposits	50,000 00
Notes and bills rediscounted	111,134 92
Total	$1,555,982 25

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss:

I, C. N. Evans, cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. N. EVANS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of Jan. 1907.

C. E. TAYLOR, Jr., Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
MATT J. HEYER,
ISADORE BEAR,
J. A. TAYLOR,
Directors.

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Atlantic National Bank

The management of this bank has worked to build a strong, sound institution—operated in the interest of its depositors. How well they have succeeded is best shown in the following statement:

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$ 758,809 51
Overdrafts	2,531 49
U. S. Bonds	175,000 00
N. C. Bonds (4 per cent)	99,000 00
Stock, Securities, etc	33,200 00
Banking House	20,000 00
Due from other banks	449,950 58
Cash on hand (in our vaults)	115,728.99
Total	$1,654,220 57

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$ 125,000 00
Surplus and Profits, net		222,106 56
Circulation		125,000 00
Deposits:—		
Individual	$893,836 77	
Banks	288,277 24	1,182,114 01
Total		$1,654,220 57

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Tobacco,
The Best Selected Stock in the City.
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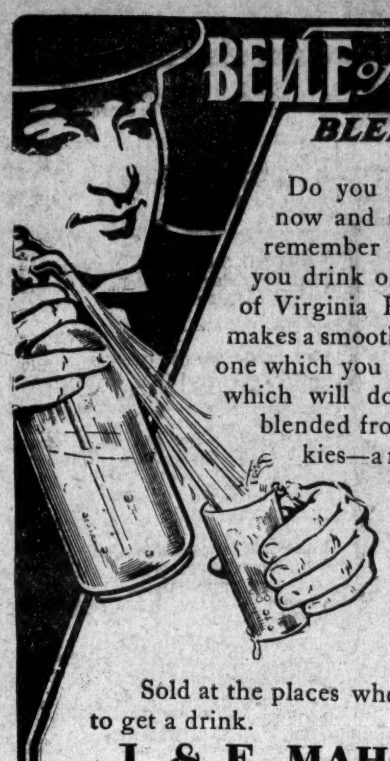

BELLE of VIRGINIA
BLENDED RYE

Do you enjoy a high ball now and then? If you do, remember the very next time you drink one to ask for Belle of Virginia Rye Whiskey. It makes a smooth, delightful drink; one which you will enjoy and one which will do you good. It's blended from pure, old whiskies—a rare, delicate blend that will appeal to the most discriminating taste. Don't forget to try it—those whom it pleases once it will please always.

Sold at the places where gentlemen go to get a drink.

J. & E. MAHONEY
Portsmouth Virginia

"The HIGH BALL YOU HEAR ABOUT"

PIGEON GIN,

Endorsed by Physicians and Sanitariums as an ideal drink for the Kidneys and Bladder.

IT'S IN THE DRAFT.

The secret of the fuel-saving qualities of this Buck's hot blast heater lies in the draft construction. It is so made as to allow large quantities of heated air to pass over the upper surface of the burning coal, thus supplying oxygen to the rising gasses, which are then converted into heating power.

Simple, isn't it? And yet it's new principle in stove building—not to be found elsewhere.

This stove will reduce your coal bill nearly one-third.

Let us tell your of its many advantages.

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.

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JUST RECEIVED AN ADVANCE SHIPMENT OF SPRING STYLES IN

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We Fit the Feet.

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is now prepared to execute all kinds of Engine and Machine work on short notice.

We furnish estimates on Boiler, Engine, Machine, Forging, and Cast Iron work.

Our intention is to give Wilmington an Engineering Works second to none in the South, and by honest dealing and good workmanship to secure the patronage of machine owners generally.

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J. L. GRAFFLIN. J. A. LOCKFAW. W. P. CARROLL.

MANNERS AT TABLE.

The Etiquette of Eating In the Seventeenth Century.

An account of hospitality in 1629 gives a good idea of the manner in which a country gentleman of the period lived. Dinner and supper were brought in by the servants with their hats on, a custom which is corroborated by Fynes Moryson, who says that, being at a knight's house who had many servants to attend him, they brought in the meats with their heads covered with blue caps. After washing their hands in a basin they sat down to dinner, and Sir James Pringle said grace. The viands seemed to have been plentiful and excellent—"big pottage, long kale, bowe of white kale," which is cabbage; "brach soppe," powdered beef, roast and boiled mutton, a venison pie in form of an egg, goose. Then they had cheese, cut and uncut, and apples. But the close of the feast was the most curious thing about it.

The tablecloth was removed, and on the table were put a "towel the whole breadth of the table and half the length of it, a basin and ewer to wash, then a green carpet laid on, then one cup of beer set on the carpet, then a little long lawn serviter plaited over the corner of the table and a glass of hot water set down also on the table; then be there three boys to say grace—the first, the thanksgiving; the second, the Pater Noster; the third, prayer for a blessing of God's church. The good man of the house, his parents, kinfolk and the whole company then do drink hot waters, so at supper, then to bed, the collation which (is) a stoupe of all."—Scottish Review.

BRAIN QUALITY.

It Is of Just as Much Importance as the Quantity.

The brain of Daniel Webster weighed fifty-six or fifty-seven ounces, that of Napoleon Bonaparte about the same. This is about three pounds and a half. These were exceeded by the brain of Cuvier, the great French naturalist, which weighed between fifty-nine and sixty ounces, and that of the French surgeon Dupuytren, which weighed fifty-eight ounces. The average weight of the brain of man is about fifty ounces and of women forty-five ounces. The maximum weight of the healthy adult brain is about sixty-four ounces and the minimum thirty-one ounces. Men of great intellectual power have generally if not always possessed large brains. The quality of the brain is, however, quite as important as the quantity, so that a large brain does not of necessity constitute a great man. The size of the brain is not in proportion to the physical development of the body, either in animals or in man. The horse has a brain less in weight than the smallest adult human brain; that of a whale seventy-five feet long was found to weigh not quite twice as much as that of a man. Even in men there is no fixed relation between the size of the body and that of the brain. A small man may have a large brain and a big man a small brain.

Warship Models.

Paraffin wax models of all proposed British battleships are used by the admiralty for tests before the keels of the ships are laid down, the minia tures being tested in a great tank. The models are from twelve to twenty-four feet long, the tank being 400 feet long and twenty feet wide. The models are made of wax because it is a material which does not absorb water or change its weight, so that alterations can be easily made, and the material can be melted up and used again. The American naval authorities also have models of all their hulls constructed, but these are much more elaborate than the British, being formed of white pine and fitted with rudders, false keels, propeller shafts and all et ceteras.

Mixed Metaphors.

Sir Robert Purvis, addressing his old constituents at Peterborough in defense of an act of parliament under whose operation some of them had gone to prison for a week, said: "That, gentlemen, is the marrow of the education act, and it will not be taken out by Dr. Clifford or anybody else. It is founded on a granite foundation, and it speaks in a voice not to be drowned by sectarian clamor." In an address to the Kaiser Wilhelm's father a Rhinelander mayor said, "No Austria, no Prussia, one only Germany. Such were the words the mouth of your imperial majesty has always had in its eye."

London's Fogs.

November is London's worst month for fogs. During a good year the Londoner may have to breathe only fifty fogs. In a very bad year he may have to endure as many as eighty. London's countless coal fires, mingling soot with mist, concoct the Londoner's fog for him. The great majority of fogs in the metropolis begin to form between 7 and 8 in the morning, just when most fires are being lighted.

Changed.

"Hello, Pepper, old chap!" exclaimed a man to another. "You have altered—scarcely knew you."

"My name—haw—is not Pepper," protested the other haughtily.

"Ah," remarked the first speaker, in no way abashed, "then your name has altered too! By-by."—London Mail.

Just His Case.

Rollingstone Nomoss—When people has hydrophobia de very thought o' water makes 'em sick. Thirsty Thingumbob—Is dat so? I bet I've had it all me life an' didn't know what was de matter wid me.—Philadelphia Record.

An angry man opens his mouth and shuts his eyes.—Cato.

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Owner and Editor,
WILMINGTON, -:- -:- -:- N. C.

The Morning Star.

Sunday, March 3, 1907.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, March 3, 1907.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Saturday, March 2.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 64 degrees; at 8 P. M. 63 degrees; maximum 70 degrees; minimum 53 degrees; mean 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day. 12; rainfall for the month .42 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear River at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Friday 18 6 feet.

Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Sunday, colder in east portion; Monday fair light to fresh west winds.

Port Almanac—March 3.

Sun Rises . . . . . 6:30 A. M.
Sun Sets . . . . . 5:57 P. M.
Day's length 11 hours and 27 minutes.
High water at Southport 9:44 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 12:14 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. B. Cooper—Fertilizers.
Clyde S. S. Co—Schedule.
Platt & Haar—Spring Goods.
Thos. D. Meares—Legal Notice.
A. Silverman—Not For Alderman.
Schofield's Sons & Co.—Machinery.
Southern Life Insurance Co.—Policies.
Concord Chapter—Special Convocation.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Sun Bleached Sale.
A. D. Brown—Sparkling With New Ideas.
The C. W. Polvogt Co.—Dress Goods.
C. P. Bolles & Co.—Securities Offered.
People's Savings Bank—Now is the Time.
D. L. Gore Company—Evaporated Apples.
F. E. Hashagen Co.—Tidal Wave Flour.
Solomon's Shoe Store—Queen Cotton Ties.

Business Locals.

Lost—Ten Dollar Bill.
J. A. Munn—Steer Strayed.
J. F. Garrell—House for Sale.
Colonial—Girl Waiters Wanted.
Notice—Two and a Half Mess.
G. G. Clows—Energetic Salesmen.
Chemist—French Cognac at Home.
Belmont Mfg. Co.—Salesmen Wanted.
Refined Lady—Position as Companion.
J. J. Darby—Mules and Horse for Sale.
Mrs. W. O. Brown—Furniture for Sale.
J. G. Wright & Son—Houses for Sale.
Lost, Strayed or Stolen—Pointer Puppy.
Red Cross Vinegar Co.—Salesman Wanted.
Experienced Young Man—Position Wanted.
To Fertilizer Manufacturers—Secret Process.
Wanted—Lady Cashier and Four Waitresses.
California Cider & Ex. Co.—Salesmen Wanted.
Young Couple—Rooms for Light Housekeeping.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. T. W. Andrews, of Charlotte, is a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. I. M. Bear left last night on a business trip to New York. He will be away some time.

—J. Sprunt Newton, Esq., of Fayetteville, was in the city yesterday on professional business.

—Mrs. G. F. Jenkins, of Salem, N. C., and Miss Isabel Highsmith, of Kerr, are guests of Mrs. Andrew J. Howell, Jr.

—Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. Walter Williamson, of Wilmington, is spending the day with his brothers, Messrs. L. A. and E. H. Williamson."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Which Appear from Record Filed Yesterday.

P. Q. Moore and wife to Mrs. W. A. Wilson, Jr., for $1,200, property on west side of 11th, 150 feet north of Market street, 48x141 1-2 feet in size.

G. S. Southerland and I. W. Cooper and wife to J. E. Clark, for $100 and other considerations, property on south side of Red Cross, 105 feet west of Third street, 31 1-2x132 feet in size, with perpetual right of way over adjoining property.

Edwin P. Dudley and wife to John W. Gafford, for $75, property on north side of Meares, 81 feet west of Fifth street, 33x84 1-2 feet in size.

D. F. Deppe and wife, of New Bern, to E. A. Chadwick, for $2,400, property at northwest corner of Fifth and Swann streets, 81x88 feet in size.

S. J. Ellis and wife to J. R. Lowenstein and wife, for $10 and other considerations, property 33x90 feet in size on Anderson street, near Gwyn street.

"The Grand," Name Selected.

"The Grand," is the name selected from about twenty-five others by Mr. Gus Isear for the new and up-to-date restaurant which will be opened in a few days at No. 213 Princess street. The name in response to advertisement was suggested by Miss Lola L. Owens, stenographer in the office of Messrs. D. R. Foster Co., across the street from the proposed location, and she will receive the handsome silk umbrella offered to the lady suggesting the most appropriate name for the new place.

Lumina Today.

Cars every half hour from 1 to 5 P. M. Oysters at Lumina. **

The Geo. O. Gaylord Department Store will offer some great values Monday at the Sun Bleach Sale. **

LOCAL DOTS.

—There was no session of the police court yesterday and very little doing in police circles until last night.

—Mr. A. Silverman thanks his friends but says that he is not a candidate for Alderman for Third ward. His card appears elsewhere in today's paper.

—Mr. and Mrs. Pembroke Jones are expected next Saturday to set their house in order on the Sound for the Easter-tide, which they will spend on the Sound.

—A meeting of the New Hanover and Pender county commissioners will be held Tuesday at Castle Haynes for the purpose of agreeing on the location for the Northeast river bridge.

—Mr. Frank P. Meier, Special Deputy Supreme Arch of the United Ancient Order of Druids will leave today for Greensboro, where he expects to institute a new tribe of Druids.

—The rosin market advanced to $4.-05 per barrel yesterday. The receipts were unusually heavy, 1,186 barrels having come in on one raft during the day.

—The following building permits have been issued: C. C. Parker, two-story tin-roof residence, on Fourth and Wooster. T. J. Gore, one-story dwelling on Eighth, between Church and Castle streets.

—The British steamer Waverly, Captain Wheatley, was cleared yesterday for Baltimore by F. A. Fetter, agent of the Seaboard Air Line. The schooner M. V. B. Chase, Captain Gates, was cleared by C. D. Maffitt with cargo of lumber from the Cape Fear Lumber mill for Portland, Me.

—Contributions to Catherine Kennedy Home for February: Mrs. M. E. Bridgers, coffee; Mrs. H. F. Wilder, pears, sugar; A. Friend, butter; A. Friend, turkey; Mrs. Roger Moore; Miss Grabill, Woodstock, Va., oysters; J. Hicks Bunting, R. R. Bellamy, drugs; J. A. Springer, ice daily. Monthly meeting at the Home Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—State Deputy Grand Chancellor J. D. Nutt leaves Monday to institute new Knights of Pythias lodges at Elm City and Nashville, N. C. Other lodges are forming at Morehead City, Jacksonville, Dover, Hertford, Edenton and Rose Hill. The Pythian work in North Carolina is exceedingly prosperous just now.

—The schooner Carolyn, belonging to Captain C. D. Maffitt, of this city, has been thoroughly overhauled and is now in command of Captain W. F. Moore. She will be placed on the run between Wilmington and New River the latter part of the week. She has good freight carrying capacity and will be a big convenience to Wilmington shippers and receivers of freight from that section.

—Rev. Mark L. Carlisle, D. D., of Marion, S. C., has arrived and is a guest at the home of Mr. C. C. Covington. This afternoon at 5 o'clock he will speak to men at the Y. M. C. A. and tonight at 7:30 o'clock he will conduct the services at Grace Church, following communion in the morning at 11 o'clock. All men are invited to the Y. M. C. A. meeting and the public is cordially invited to hear him at Grace at night.

—Coroner Bell yesterday served his first court process, the sheriff being ineligible. It was a protest against a land entry of 50 acres in Harnett township by T. F. Bagley. The land is owned by Sheriff Cowan and, of course, being a party at interest, the papers had to be served by others. The coroner is the only man who can serve in the absence or disability of the sheriff and for that reason the papers yesterday had to be served by Coroner Bell. They say Dr. Bell makes a first-rate sheriff as evidenced from his first performance of duty in the one instance yesterday.

I. O. O. F. ANNIVERSARY.

Joint Celebration of Four Wilmington Lodges in April.

The four lodges of Odd Fellows in Wilmington have appointed the following joint committee to make all arrangements for the anniversary celebration of the order on April 26:

Cape Fear Lodge, No. 2—M. W. Jacobi, W. H. Yopp and W. G. T. Keen.

Orion Lodge, No. 67—C. D. Morrill, H. O. Craig and J. E. Silva.

Wilmington Lodge, No. 139—R. H. Northrop, R. J. Shepard and E. Y. Davis.

Hanover Lodge, No. 145—John E. Wood, J. A. Jordan and A. J. Hewlett.

The committee will meet in the parlor of the I. O. O. F. home on next Tuesday evening at 8:30. It is hoped that all members of the committee will be present.

Her Brother Dead.

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer says: "Mrs. C. D. Hutaff received a telegram this morning conveying the sad intelligence of the death of her brother, Mr. George W. Bloome, which occurred in a hospital in Atlanta early this morning, where he was taken a few days ago from his home in Charleston, suffering from appendicitis. The funeral will take place tomorrow in Charleston. Mr. and Mrs. Hutaff, accompanied by Miss Emma G. Hutaff, of Wilmington, leave tomorrow for Charleston to attend the funeral."

Negro Tried Suicide.

Mack Faircloth, a negro drayman, about 45 years of age, attempted to commit suicide by drinking an ounce of laudanum in a room in a house across from Front street market house early yesterday afternoon. He was discovered in a stupor by a woman in the house and was brought around all right by Drs. Cranmer and Wright Hall. He has had domestic troubles with his wife, who keeps a restaurant and is a well known character about the market. He had also been drinking heavily.

Lumina Today.

Cars every half hour from 1 to 5 P. M. Oysters at Lumina. **

25c fringed linen towels, full size, 18c Monday at Gaylord's. See Window Display. **

Houses at Mercer Place are in great demand. Buy Lots now. **

OFFICERS SHOT DOWN

(Continued From First Page.)

Buckingham, while raiding a blind tiger, were shot down by a negro, Tom Walker, the proprietor of a blind tiger. Policeman Lockamy was instantly killed. Chief of Police Chason was shot through the head and mortally wounded. Policeman Buckingham was shot in the shoulder and side, and there are little hopes of his recovery.

The negro has so far eluded capture. The murderer is a well known and desperate character, having been prosecuted for running a bling tiger before. With him at time of the shooting was a white man, a stranger in the city, who has been apprehended and is now in the county jail. The wife of Walker has been locked up for safe keeping. Walker is a gingercake mulatto, about 30 years of age, 5 feet 8 inches tall, weighs about 150 pounds and wears a light hat, and has an habitually scowling face, and would be recognized as a "bad negro" by anyone.

Intense excitement prevails throughout the city. The streets are thronged with an angry Saturday night crowd. Searching parties are being organized, and despatched to watch all country roads and to search all passenger trains. The sheriff has wired Wilmington to send bloodhounds by special train. The local company of militia is now under arms and a $1,000 reward has been offered by the city and county for the body of Walker, dead or alive. It is almost certain that the desperado will be captured before day.

The white man who is locked in jail as a witness gives a clear statement. He says that he was drinking a bottle of beer at the time in the "joint"; that Chief of Police Chason read to Walker the warrant for search The negro replied "Search all you please," but as soon as the search was begun and the policeman had turned his back, the negro with an oath, exclaimed:

"You have tracked me down, now I am going to shoot you like dogs."

He then fired six shots in quick succession, and when the smoke cleared away all three policemen were found shot as described. He then placed the pistol to the face of the witness and ordered him to go to the next house and tell his mother to send him fifty dollars, which being done, the negro escaped and the white man came up town to tell the startling story and summon medical assistance.

Dr. Highsmith was rushed to the scene of the murder, and this man of iron nerve and well used to scenes of blood, was almost unstrung by the horrible scene that met his eyes—one policeman on a pile of whiskey flasks and empty bottles dead; another lying on the floor bathed in his own blood and life almost extinct; the other and the only possible survivor, on the bed shot in two places and unconscious. This last policeman was sufficiently aroused to tell the name of the murderer and the identity of the witness, and then again became unconscious. His ante-mortem deposition has since been taken He corroborates in the particulars the man who is jailed as a necessary witness.

Mr. Henry Tietgen Dead.

Mr. Henry Tietgen, a well known resident of the Sound and for a number of years a member of the Wilmington police force, passed away Friday noon at the James Walker Memorial Hospital to which he was taken about ten days, having suffered a stroke of paralysis while in the city on a business trip. Mr. Tietgen was born in May and was 60 years of age last May. He leaves three brothers, Messrs. Herman and Chas. Tietgen, of this county, and Mr. Richard Tietgen, of Florida. The funeral was conducted at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the grave in Bellevue cemetery, Rev. C. W. Kegley, pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, officiating. Mr. John Haar, Mr. Henry Bornemann and other friends acted as pall-bearers.

May Festival at Raleigh.

Mr. Wade R. Brown, the organist who is to give an organ recital at the First Baptist Church in Wilmington on the evening of March 11th, announces that the great musical festival to be held in Raleigh will take place May 2 and 3. The New York Symphony Orchestra and six celebrated soloists are to be engaged for that delightful event. This will be a great array of talent for the delectation of North Carolinians.. The soloist and scheme of the Raleigh festival is to be announced later.

Market Street Giants.

The Market Street Giants, which finished the pennant series last season second in the race in the City Baseball League, has reorganized for the coming year, and hope to make things lively before the rag chase is over. Mr. Joe B. Linder, for business reasons, has resigned as manager of the team and Mr. Wilbur R. Dosher has been elected in his stead. Dosher is a number one athlete and will make a good manager.

Funeral of Miss Thomas.

From the residence of her brother-in-law, Mr. A. G. Hankins, No. 413 North Fifth street, yesterday morning impressive funeral services were conducted over the remains of Miss Ida Kennie Thomas by Rev. N. M. Watson, assisted by Rev. W. L. Rexford. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery, the pall-bearers having been Messrs. N. M. Hankins, W. E. Springer, R. H. Beery, J. F. Whitaker, E. L. Davis and W. H. Yopp.

Board Meetings Monday

The usual monthly meetings of the county and city Boards will be held on the first Monday tomorrow. No especial matters are to come up for consideration. It is near the end of the fiscal year for the city council and there will be little doing.

Lumina Today.

Cars every half hour from 1 to 5 P. M. Oysters at Lumina. **

A House and Lot at Mercer Place pays 12 per cent. to 15 per cent. on the investment. **

Be sure to visit our 5 and 10 ct. Department.

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THE FIRM THAT PAYS YOUR CAR FARE

Owing to the large purchase and warm winter, we find that we have too many overcoats and winter suits on hand, therefore this sweeping reduction is made.

LOT NO 1 consists of Men's Suits of a large assortment. Black Cheviotts and Thibets, Fancy mixed Worsteds $6.50 and $7.50 reduction sale $4.59.

LOT NO. 2 Black Thibets, Blue Flannels, Dark mixed Cashimeres and Worsteds single and double breasted, $7.50 and $8.50 reduction sale $6.50.

LOT NO. 3 Blue Serges, Black Clay Worsteds, Black Thibets dark and light Oxfords $10.00 and $12.50 Suits reduction sale $8.50.

LOT NO. 4 Black unfinished Worsteds, Serges, Cashimeres Worsteds, and many new fabrics, $12.50 Suits reduction sale $10.00.

LOT NO. 5 Black Granits, Serges, Clay Worsteds, unfinished Worsteds, and Fancy mixed Fabrics, $16.50 to $18.50 Suits reduction sale $13.50.

Big Clothing Reduction

Sale lasts all the Week.

With every suit purchased over $6.00 we will give free 1 watch, or 1 pair House Slippers.

LOT NO. 1 Overcoats. Men's and Youths regular $3.75 overcoat, $2.98.

LOT NO. 2 Oovercoats, Blues, Blacks and Mixed Cheviots, $6.00 coats reduction sale $4.98.

LOT NO. 3 Overcoats, Gray Oxfords, Blue and Black Cheviots, $8.50 overcoats, reduction sale $6.50.

LOT. NO. 4 $10.00 Overcoats, Blue, Black, Brown and Gray Oxfords $8.50.

LOT NO. 5 The celebrated Kirschbaum Overcoats and Raincoats, Blacks, Fancy and Oxford Greys, $12.50 vale, $10.00.

LOT NO. 6 The celebrated Kirschbaum hand made Overcoat and Raincoat, first class material and workmanship $15.00 and $16.50 values, sale $12.50.

All colors and newest styles. You should not let this opportunity pass unnoticed.

$1.50 to $2.00 White and Fancy Vest, 98 cents.

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Boys' Clothing and Odd Pants at Special prices.

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IN THE LEGISLATURE

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rate bill attached being included in the report. The Speaker then ordered the report enrolled for ratification.

The House spent more than three hours discussing the bill to appoint four additional commissioners for Sampson county. It had passed the Senate and received an unfavorable report from the House committee. Then a Democratic caucus had taken the matter up and voted to pass the bill. The fight on the floor today was by Owen and Kennedy, of Sampson, supported by Dowd and a number of other Democrats to allow additional testimony from opponents of the bill as to conditions in Sampson. The bill finally passed 63 to 24, after the House had heard affidavits read, setting out that the county would lose nothing from the defalcation of Sheriff Aman; that the county affairs were in excellent shape and that the indictments against the present Board of Commissioners are technical and were brought through a misapprehension.

Among bills passed by the House at the night session were: To amend law as to shipments of liquor in Columbus; require Columbus commissioners to use road tax when collected; prohibit liquor in certain districts in Moore; increase salary of State Librarian; permit railroads to condemn lands for double tracking; furnish woman's annex to State Hospital in Raleigh; prohibit impounding live stock in a township in Columbus; validate marriages heretofore solemnized by ordained ministers.

The House passed the bill providing for a separation of the races on street cars. This is the committee substitute for the Morton bill as agreed to by the street railways of the State. It provides separation "so far as is practicable," and was amended tonight to require absolute separation in Wake county.

The House refused to concur in the Senate amendment in the bill regulating the sale of merchandise in bulk and a conference committee was appointed.

REVIVAL SERVICES TO BEGIN

Dr. L. L. Nash Will be Heard at Market Street M. E. Church.

The Rev. L. L. Nash, missionary evangelist appointed at the last annual conference, and former pastor of Fifth Street M. E. Church, in this city, will assist Rev. W. L. Rexford in a series of meetings at Market Street Church beginning this morning at 11 o'clock. Services will be held each morning at 11 A. M. and in the evening at 7:30 P. M. Dr. Nash is a gifted preacher of the word and is very popular in Wilmington. Many will embrace this opportunity of hearing him again.

Registration Opens Tomorrow.

The registration for the city primary to be held on March 13th will be opened at the several polling places in the city tomorrow morning and will continue until Saturday night of this week. The list of registrars and polling places has previously been given. There are no changes except that Mr. F. S. Shepard has been made registrar in Second Ward in place of Mr. W. J. Kirkham, who found it inconvenient to serve. The hours of the registration are from 8 A. M. to 6 P. M. daily. There is no new registration for this primary, the books of two years ago being taken as a basis, but it would be well for all voters to see that their names are properly entered before the registration closes.

ALDERMAN THIRD WARD.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Alderman from the Third ward, subject to the will of the people, to be expressed in the Democratic primaries to be held on March 13.

f 12 eod D. RUSSELL FOSTER.

Lumina Today.

Cars every half hour from 1 to 5 P. M. Oysters at Lumina. **

John H. Sweeney,
for
Alderman-2d Ward

feb 28 til mar 13.

FOR ALDERMAN.

I respectfully announce my mandidacy for Alderman from the First Ward, subject to the Democratic primary March 13th, and earnestly ask the support of my fellow citizens.

feb 24 td JAMES D. MOTE.

FOR MAYOR

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Mayor of the City of Wilmington and respectfully ask the support of the Democratic voters at the approaching primary. If nominated and elected, I promise to carry out the duties of the office impartially and with a view of promoting the general welfare and business prosperity of our City and its inhabitants.

Respectfully,

PARKER QUINCE MOORE.

fe 13-1m

ALDERMAN—FOURTH WARD.

The undersigned wish to present the name of Mr. W. A. French, Jr. to the voters of the Fourth Ward and ask for him their support in the approaching primary for Alderman.

J. H. HARDIN,
M. S. WILLARD,
J. W. MURCHISON,
M. J. CORBETT,
EDWD P. BAILEY,
H. W. MALLOY,
C. W. WORTH,
feb 15 1m. JAMES SPRUNT.

FOR ALDERMAN—FOURTH WARD.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Alderman from the Fourth Ward subject to the will of the Democratic primary to be held on March 13th, promising, if elected, to fulfil every duty to my constituents.

J. McREE HATCH.

feb 15 1m.

FOR ALDERMAN—FOURTH WARD.

At the solicitation of some of my friends, I respectfully announce that I will be a candidate for Alderman from the Fourth Ward at the Democratic primaries to be held in this city on March 13th.

fe 17-tf C. P. BOLLES, JR.

FOR ALDERMAN—THIRD WARD.

We, the undersigned voters of the Third Ward, do hereby present the name of Mr. S. J. Ellis as a candidate for Alderman from said Ward, and bespeak for him the support of the Democratic voters at the approaching primary. F. H. Fechtig, W. G. T. Keen, F. A. Muse, H. G. Fennell, John R. Hamby, Wm. Gilchrist, A. H. Morris, J. R. Lowenstein, W. C. Yarborough, W. N. Smithson, W. L. Parsley, S. H. Fishblate, W. H. Yopp, J. O. Powers.

feb 28 td*

ALDERMAN—FOURTH WARD.

The undersigned wish to present the name of Mr. C. H. Bornemann to the voters of the Fourth Ward, and ask for him their support in the approaching primary for Alderman.

R. W. Hicks, E. P. H. Strunck, R. R. Stone, A. S. Heide, C. W. Polvogt, F. E. Hashagen, J. C. Stevenson, J. M. Stevenson, L. Hansen, J. W. Craig.

fe 16-1m

FOR ALDERMAN—THIRD WARD.

The many friends of Mr. A. Silverman respectfully present his name for Alderman from the Third Ward, subject to the will of the Democratic party at the primary on March 17th.

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FOR ALDERMAN—THIRD WARD.

We, the undersigned voters of the Third Ward, do hereby present the name of Mr. I. M. Bear as a candidate for Alderman from said ward and bespeak for him the support of the Democratic voters at the approaching primary. This the 18th day of February, 1907.

Walker Taylor, L. B. Rogers, W. B. Cooper, C. C. Covington, Thomas H. Wright, L. Stein, W. E. Perdew, Jas. F. Woolvin, Marsden Bellamy, J. Weil, C. H. Dock, W. Goodman, O. H. Wright, J. Vanl: Metts, R. R. Bellamy, J. R. Currentine, J. A. Taylor, B. H. J. Ahrens, George Harriss, A. H. Harriss M. F. H. Gouverneur.

fe 19 till day.

FOR ALDERMAN.

To the voters of the First Ward I announce my candidacy for Alderman from that Ward and respectfully ask their votes. I will greatly appreciate their support and if elected, in accordance with the Democratic primary March 13th, I will serve faithfully and to the best of my ability.

J. F. SELLERS.

feb 19 til day

FOR ALDERMAN.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Alderman from the First Ward, subject to the will of the people to be expressed in the Democratic Primaries to be held March 13th.

fe 13-1m pd JAMES A. LEWIS.

FOR ALDERMAN.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for alderman from the Third Ward, subject to the will of the voters in the Democratic primaries to be held March 13th, 1907. If elected, I pledge myself to perform the duties to the best of my ability.

R. H. NORTHROP.

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FOR ALDERMAN.

I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election as Alderman from the Fourth Ward, subject to the will of the voters in the Democratic primary to be held March 13th. If elected, I pledge myself to carry out the duties of the office conscientiously and to the best of my ability.

fe 16 1m WALTER E. YOPP.

FOR ALDERMAN—FIRST WARD.

At the solicitations of my friends and many citizens I have decided to become a candidate for re-election as Alderman from the First Ward, subject to the will of the voters in the Democratic primary to be held March 13th, and respectfully ask their support.

MARTIN RATHJEN.

feb 21 tf.

ALDERMAN—FIRST WARD.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for renomination as a member of the Board of Aldermen from the First Ward, subject to the will of the Democratic primaries to be held on the 13th, of March.

feb 23 td J A. KARR.

MARTIN O'BRIEN

For Alderman, Second Ward.

We the undersigned voters of the Second Ward hereby present the name of Martin O'Brien for re-election as Alderman, and ask for the support of the voters at the coming primary.

Matt J. Heyer, S. W. Sanders, H. G. Smallbones, J. G. L. Gieschen, J. Hicks Bunting, Chestnut & Barrentine, J. F. Divine, S. P. McNair, J. N. Fennell.

fe 20-til day

ALDERMAN—FIFTH WARD.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for re-election as Alderman from the Fifth Ward, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held March 13th.

W. W. KING.

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Colored boy 13 to 14 years old is wanted at the Star Office. Must be willing to work. **

WARM WIRELETS

The Aldrich Currency bill has passed the House yesterday, yeas 160, nays 72.

All the car workers on the Georgia Railroad, who recently returned to work after being on strike three weeks for an increase of wages, quit work again yesterday at Augusta, Ga., alleging that the company had violated the articles of agreement.

On account of the illness of Juror J. A. Hearne there was a halt at Greensboro, N. C., yesterday in the trial of Sumner Sergeant and Edward A. Smith, the Charlotte cotton mill owners who are being sued by the government for penalties for alleged violations of the immigration act. Adjournment was taken until Monday.

In the trial of the Strothers brothers at Culpepper, Va., for the murder of their brother-in-law, William Bywaters, Dr. Clark testified that under the circumstances of the killing the slayers were impulsively insane. Dr. Drewrey, for the State, testified that circumstances were calculated to enrage the defendants, but not to craze them.

George W. Baker, one of the petitioners in the bill of equity filed at Concord, N. H., to secure an accounting of the financial affairs of his mother, Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, head of the Christian Science Church, in regard to the action said yesterday that the action has been brought about to ascertain whether Mrs. Eddy is a free agent or whether she is coerced by others.

Fourteen men are hovering near death in Taylor hospital, and 12 others suffered light burns, through a terific explosion of gas that swept through a portion of the Clerk vain of the Holden coal mine of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Company at North Taylor, Pa., yesterday afternoon. Whether or not 30 miners were at work in the affected mine was in doubt at 10 o'clock last night.

In Chicago last night a United States mail wagon containing three pouches one filled with registered mail said to be worth $5,000 was stolen from in front of the Stock Exchange Building, LaSalle and Washington streets while the driver was making a collection in the building. Two hours after the robbery the wagon was found three miles away from the Stock Exchange. The pouches were gone.

THE WILD BALSAM APPLE.

Its Seed Holders Are Suggestive of Lace Purses.

In the brooks of autumn in certain places many little lacelike bags may be seen drifting along with the current or stranded by the shore. They are the inner coats or bodies of the wild balsam apples (Echinocystis lobata) which have dropped from the vines overhanging the stream and now float lightly away with their large seeds.

The green prickly bag of the balsam apple itself began to form in late summer, and by autumn it has withered and faded to a pale straw color. We may see the trailing vines with their shrunken pods decorating the brookside bushes far into the winter. The outer coat of the pod gradually rots away, and the inner bag or seed carrier is now released and exposed as a delicate, webby network of tough fibers. A thin skin or membrane fills up the space between these meshes, but that also falls away through the action of water and the winter storms until only the ball-like tissue of the "purse" is left. These little purses, being extremely light and buoyant, float far and wide over the submerged swamp lands in late autumn, carrying the seeds with them and so planting the vine in new situations. If, however, we take these seeds home with us and plant them there, Mother Earth will suitably reward us in the following year with vines of our own. They will spring up and spread rapidly until all the stone walls and garden fences are decorated with the tracery of their stems and star shaped leaves.—St. Nicholas.

GOLD AND THE SEA.

Why the Metal Is Shipped In Bars Rather Than In Coin.

"When the banks ship gold across the Atlantic," said a banker, "they prefer to ship it in bars rather than in coin. It loses less that way."

"It loses less?"

"Yes, sir. If $1,000,000 in gold coins is shipped across the sea it is only $999,800 on its arrival. It loses from twelve to fifteen ounces, about $200, through abrasion, through knocking about with the motion of the waves. The sea makes gold lose weight, you see, the same as it does human beings Gold bars lose less. In fine weather they will only lose about $100 to each million. In the ugliest weather they don't lose over $150, whereas in like conditions gold coins have been known to lose $300. As gold shipments of $10,000,000 often occur, to make these shipments in gold bars instead of gold coin is a saving of $1,000 or more. It is odd to think when you cross in one of those gold laden ships that every wave that hits the boat clips off 10 to 15 cents from its golden cargo."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Carlyle and the Ax.

Carlyle as a schoolmaster was a terror to evildoers. Even the biggest and boldest boys wilted when he growled out "dunce" or "blockhead." He did not thrash often, as his scowl was enough to hush a whole school, but when he did thrash he meant business. One day a joiner passing along the road heard the most piteous howls and cries for mercy and help coming from the schoolhouse. Rushing in and handing his ax to Carlyle, he exclaimed:

"Jist doo't ootricht, mon, and no mince maiters."

SUNDAY SERVICES.

tors For City Pulpits To-day. Announcements By Wilmington Pas-

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Odd Fellows building, second floor; services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.. Subject of lesson sermon, "Man." All are invited.

Fifth Street Methodist Church, Rev. Kenneth D. Holmes, pastor. Services to-day at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. by the pastor. Sunday school at 3 P. M. R. V. Leonard superintendent. Midweek prayer service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Strangers and visitors are cordially invited.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran Church, North Fourth street, Rev. C. W. Kegley pastor: Sunday school 10 A. M.; preaching service at 11 A. M.; Vesper services at 7:30 P. M. The subject evening sermon: "The Gospel, Gospel in Foreign Missions." Lenten services Thursday at 8 P. M. Every person welcome.

Market Street M. E. Church, South corner Ninth and Market streets, Rev. W. L. Rexford, pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 3 P. M.

St. Thomas Church: First mass at 7; last mass, sermon, 10:30 A. M. Vespers sermon, 7:45 P. M.

Bladen Street M. E. Church, Rev. A. J. Parker pastor: Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sunday school at 3:30; prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The public are cordially invited to attend.

St. John's Church, corner of Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. J. Carmichael, D. D., rector; third Sunday in Lent. Litany, sermon and Holy Communion at 11 o'clock. Sunday School at 4 P. M. Seats free; strangers cordially invited.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Sixth and Market streets, Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor: Third Sunday in Lent, English morning service at 11 A. M. Vesper service at 7:30 P. M. Sunday School, 3:30 P. M. A cordial invitation to all. Seats free.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Fourth and Orange streets, Sunday services: Morning service, Holy Communion and sermon at 11 a. m.; Sunday School, 4 P. M.; evening service, 8 P. M.

Grace Church, corner Fourth and Grace streets, Rev. N. M. Watson, pastor: At the 11 o'clock service the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered and a collection will be taken for famine sufferers in China. At 7:30 P. M. service the Rev. M. L. Carlisle, D. D., will preach. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M. A cordial invitation to attend these services is extended to the public.

Quarantine For Smallpox.

Chief Quarantine Officer Robert Green yesterday sent to the pest house three men and three women, colored, as suspects and quarantined Scott McLean and his wife, colored, for smallpox at 805 Brunswick street. McLean's wife had the disease a week or two ago but it was not reported. The negro works on the railroad yards here and is believed to have imported the disease.

Remains Sent to Clinton.

After impressive funeral services from the residence on Grace street yesterday morning by her pastor, Dr. McClure, the remains of the late Mrs. Britt, who passed away in this city Friday, were taken to Clinton for interment on the northbound train at 10:10 A. M. The pall-bearers were Messrs. W. H. Sprunt, J. C. Stewart, T. L. Morton, W. G. Forlong, W. C. VonGlahn and W. J. Bergen.

SAVE MILLIONS FOR SOUTH.

Device Which Practically Will Revolutionize Cotton Culture.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, March 2.—One of the most important devices in the history of cotton culture practically has been perfected by experts of the Department of Agriculture. It is a machine for the removal of the fuz on cotton seed, and for the separation of light from heavy seed. The process has been in course of development for about two years, and it is the opinion of the cotton experts of the Department that its universal use would effect a saving of about ten per cent. of the entire cotton crop. As the crop of America amounts to about $750,000,000 a year, it easily can be realized that such a saving would be of vast importance.

By the removal of the fuz from the cotton seed, the seed may be planted with an ordinary gravity drill. By the ease with which the smoth seed can be manipulated, they can be planted in hills, without unnecessary waste, and the plants so located can be tilled in two directions. The machine, it is state, can be made at very small expense and as the invention is in the hands of the government, cotton planters who use it will have to pay no royalty for it.

—Whiteville Echo: Quite a bad wreck occurred on last Thursday afternoon a few miles south of Whiteville on the Whiteville Lumber Company's log road. The two trains were leaving the woods coming towards Whiteville, the one in front being a train load of logs, while the engine behind had only one car on which were about forty of the company's employes who were coming out to the camps at W. A. Harrelson & Co's store . yB some means nine of the loaded log trucks of the first train broke loose and ran back into the train behind. At the time of the accident the train with the passengers was standing still, and the run-away cars came back upon it at a speed of about 20 miles per hour, and the car on which the men were riding was a "house" car with only a door at each end, so they did not have time to get out before the crash came. Strange to say only one of the men on the car was hurt seriously, this one being Tom Davis, colored, whose leg was broken and who was otherwise slightly bruised.

Monday Geo. O. Gaylord's special table linen sale in remnants and bolts. **

The Sun Bleached Sale will last six more days at Gaylord's. Lawn Sale Monday. **

THE FAMINE IN CHINA

Dr. Wells Writes Something of Great Suffering There.

(Communicated.)

At the request of the Pastor's Association please permit me to make through your columns a brief statement of the terrible famine conditions existing at this time in China.

The coast of China corresponds in latitude very nearly to our own Atlantic coast. Instead of running North and South, as does our great river the Mississippi, their two great rivers, the Yellow and the Yany-tze-kiang, run from West to East.

Some centuries ago the Yellow River changed its course. If the Mississippi River should now change its course at Memphis and enter the ocean at Savannah, you would have a similar case. The change wrought by the latter would be about what the change wrought by the Yellow River was. There has been left a great flat plain, dotted with lakes, many of them parts of the old river, threaded with streams that we would call bayous, and having canals instead of roads. This old bottom land of the Yellow River covers an area about the size of North Carolina. It is the richest section of China and supports a dense population. There are probably fifteen million people within this area. Last spring our missionaries wrote that they had never seen such crop prospects. The grain crops were especially fine. But in May it began to rain, and for forty days rain fell almost constantly. The fields were flooded. The crops rotted in the field. The spring harvests were about entirely lost.

There was a short intermission, and then the rain began again and continued almost all summer. The streams, the lakes and the canals were swollen to an unprecedented height. To save some of the great cities from inundation the officials cut the levees and let the floods flow into the country, and so in time almost the whole section became a great lake. The villages in which the poor dwell are built of bamboo plastered with mud. The floods speedily destroyed these and swept away all the household possessions of the people. Many of the people not only lost their homes and goods, but also their lives.

The country being under water the fall crops could not be planted. Famine began its dread work. The people devoured every living thing. They ate the leaves and bark of the trees, and in some cases they have eaten human flesh. Gathered on the levees and high ground they soon exhausted all food and then began a great exodus toward the South. Several million have passed into the adjacent Southern provinces. Five hundred thousand are huddled in matting tents around the city of Tsing-kiang-pu, a place of two hundred thousand inhabitants.

The scenes marking the sad pilgrimage have been heartrending. Whole families would start, and finally an emaciated survivor would stagger into the refuge camp. A correspondent of the Shanghai Mercury tells of passing a dead mother lying by the side of the way, with a little two year old girl holding her hand and crying pitifully. When he came back a few days later the little one was dead too. And all the while a great stream of emaciated folks, with set, haggard, starving faces were passing by. There were none to pity, none to help.

In the great camp the government is doling out a little handful of rice. But the Chinese government is poor, and can do but little more. Seven million people, homeless, without shelter, without clothing, save rags, are starving.

Can we in our land of plenty, with food, warmth, shelter, and abundance, harden our hearts and let them suffer and die. In the name of humanity; in the name of the Christ whom we serve; in view of the great opportunity that is ours, let us open our hearts and purses. One dollar given now would save a life until spring.

We understand that an opportunity will be given in most of our churches in the near future to give to the cause.

Money can be sent through any of our churches, or through the "Christian Herald," which has opened a relief fund.

J. M. WELLS.

THE SUN BLEACHED SALE.

At Geo. O. Gaylord's has been a big success the past week and in order to wait on the big rush we expect this week, we have secured extra help to serve everybody better and quicker. The Sun Bleach Sale will last one week longer. Big values all this week. **

Now is the time to secure a lot at Mercer Place before the next advance.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

P. L. Smith
vs NOTICE.
Annie R. Smith.

To Annie R. Smith:

Take notice, that on the 14th day of March, 1906, at 11 o'clock, A. M., in the law office of John C. Davis at No. 416 Fifth Street, in the City of Washington, District of Columbia, before John C. Davis, Commissioner, the undersigned will take the deposition of G. W. Cook and others to be read as evidence for the Plaintiff in the above entitled action, which is now pending in the Superior Court of New Hanover County, State of North Carolina; and you will further take notice, that if the taking of said depositions is not completed on the said day, the same will be continued from day to day until completed.

P. L. SMITH, Plaintiff.

THOS. D. MEARES, JR., Attorney for Plaintiff.

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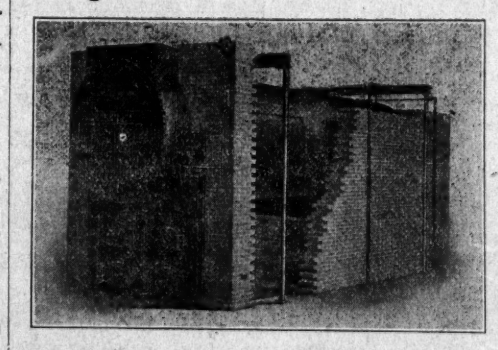

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—An election will be held in the town of Dunn, March 28th, on the question of dispensary or no dispensary.

—Whiteville Echo: Mr. Car Hunt, the contractor, is just completing the wood work on the Greer, Smith and Lewis brick building at Whiteville. These buildings are very handsome ones, and make a decided improvement in the appearance of that part of town.

—At Raleigh on Friday the Secretary of State Chartered the Planters Bank of Littleton, to conduct the business of commercial and savings bank. The authorized capital stock is $10,000 with $5,000 subscribed. The incorporators are :Thos. J. Miles, Geo. S. Pritchard, T. W. Harris and H. L. Harris.

—Charlotte, March 1: At Gastonia today Joseph B. McGathey was found guilty of murder in the second degree and sentenced by Judge M. H. Justice to seven years in the penitentiary for killing his son-in-law, Lee G. Cudd, the latter part of December. The case was given to the jury yesterday afternoon and the verdict was rendered this morning, the jury remaining out all night.

—Kinston, March 1: This morning papers were passed transferring from Mr. J. A. Pridgen and wife to the Bank of Kinston 50 feet front by 85 deep property on the corner of Queen and Gordon streets for a consideration of $22,500, or $450 per foot frontage on Queen street. The Bank of Kinston will, at an early date, begin improvement of property and a handsome structure in keeping with the value of the property and the city's progressive march, will be erected.

—Statesville, N. C., March 1: Mack Woodward, the young man who was shot Monday evening in north Iredell by the accidental discharge of a 38-caliber pistol in the hands of Markus Williams, a comrade, was brought to Long's sanitarium in Statesville Tuesday for treatment. The ball, which entered the right side just below the ribs, penetrated the intestinal cavity and lodged in the muscles of the back. As yet the physicians have not located it and it is probable that it will not be taken out. The young man will recover.

—Whiteville Echo: Mr. T. A. Lyon, brother of our townsman, Homer L. Lyon, and a son of Judge C. C. Lyon, stood examination before the Supreme Court on February 4th and on Monday took the oath of an attorney before Judge Webb. We are glad to welcome Mr. Lyon to Whiteville as a citizen, he having decided to locate here permanently and connected himself with the law firm of Lyon & Lyon. "Terry" is a very bright young man, and we bespeak for him success in his chosen profession.

—Whiteville Echo: Superior Court for the county of Columbus convened Monday with Judge Webb presiding and Solicitor N. A. Sinclair prosecuting for the State. For some reason the Judge did not arrive until about 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, and as a consequence court was delayed for an entire half day. Upon a call of the roll of jurors it was found that two were not present. Judge Webb placed a fine of $40.00 each on these jurors. The absence of the jurors, however, did not cause any delay in the court proceedings ,while the failure of Judge Webb to be present on time did delay court, only the afternoon session being held Monday.

—Spencer, March 1: The body of a newly born infant was found in a stable at the home of W. B. Weant, at Spencer today, and Miss Lillian Weant has been arrested on the charge of concealing the birth of the child. Coroner Dorsett held an inquest over the body and performed a postmortem examination this afternoon, deciding that the child was born dead, so a charge of infanticide was averted. Miss Weant, who gives her age as twenty years, admits giving birth to the child and pleads guilty to the charge of concealment, saying she placed the body in the barn two weeks ago. She was held under a bond of $500 for a preliminary hearing tomorrow morning.

—Hon. H. L. Godwin, Congressman-elect from this, the Sixth District, left for Washington, D. C., Monday where he will on next Monday, March 4th, take the oath of office to succeed G. B. Patterson who has served this District for the past four years. This is the first time since Harnett county was formed, (1855) that one of her sons has ever gone to Washington as a Representative and we feel justified in saying that the entire District is proud of the man that has been chosen to represent us in the next session of Congress. Mr. Godwin is a man of marked ability and is ambitious and will exert every power to serve his people in a most satisfactory manner.

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NOTICE.

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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv Wilmington	9.00 a m	6.35 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12.23 p m	9.32 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1.49 p m	11.15 p m
Ar. Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 p m
Ar Norfolk	6.05 p m	
Ar Wilson	1.07 p m	10.25 p m
Ar Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 a m
Ar. Petersburg	7.12 p m	4.27 a m
Ar Richmond	8.00 p m	5.10 a m
Ar Washington	11.40 p m	8.50 a m
Ar Baltimore	1.43 a m	10.13 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4.25 a m	12.27 a m
Ar New York	7.20 a m	6.00 a m

SOUTHBOUND

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv New York	9.25 a m	9.25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	1.55 a m	12.01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2.12 p m	2.32 a m
Ar Washington	3.21 p m	3.45 a m
Ar Norfolk		8.30 a m
Lv Richmond	7.25 p m	8.25 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8.05 p m	9.13 a m
Ar Weldon	9.53 p m	11.35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	10.53 p m	1.00 p m
Ar Wilson	11.40 p m	2.15 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6.58 a m	3.12 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10.20 am	6.10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND

	Daily	Daily	Daily
Lv Wilm'ton	5.40 am	3.35 pm	6.35 pm
Ar Florence	9.35 am	7.30 pm	4.15 am
Ar Columbia	12.45 pm	11.10 pm	am
Ar. Ch'lest'n	1.40 pm	11.37 pm	7.05 am
Ar Savannah	6.45 pm	2.55 am	9.30 am
Ar Jack'ville		8.40 am	2.10 pm
Ar Tampa		7.10 pm	10.o2 am

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily	Daily
Lv Tampa	9.00 pm	10.30 am
Lv Jacksonville	8.55 am	8.05 pm
Ar Savannah	12.55 pm	1.15 am
Lv. Charleston	5.30 pm	6.15 am
Lv Columbia	4.30 pm	6.45 am
Ar Florence	8.10 pm	9.25 am
Ar. Wilmington	12.30 am	1.55 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	9.10 am	Ar 8.13 pm
Lv Fayetteville	12.35 pm	Ar 4.56 pm
Lv Sanford	3.40 pm	Ar 1.55 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun	South Bound
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Ar Newbern	5.55 pm	Lv 9.10 am

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To The Beach.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE.

In effect October 28th, 1906

Leave Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville	Leave Beach
x 7.00 a m	x8.30 a m	
x 8.30 a m	x8.00 a m	
10.00 a m	xx9.00 a m	
11.30 a m	11.00 a m	10.45 a m
1.30 p m	12.30 p m	12.15 p m
3.00 p m	2.25 p m	2.15 p m
5.00 p m	4.25 p m	4.15 p m
6.30 p m	5.55 p m	5.45 p m
8.00 p m	7.30 p m	
9.30 p m	9.00 p m	
11.00 p m	10.30 p m	

xDaily except Sunday.

xx Sundays this car will leave Wrightsville at 10:00 a. m. instead of at 9:00 a. m.

Cars leaving Wilmington at 7 a. m., 8.30 A. m,, 8.00 p. m. and 9.30 p. m. will not run beyond Wrightsville unless there are passengers for the Beach.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Cars every half hour from 1.00 to 5.00 p m in addition to the above schedule.

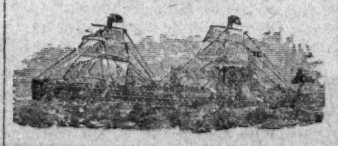
Special Car to Golf Grounds and Winter Park.

Leave Front and Princess Streets daily, except Sunday, at 3:40, 4:00, 4:30 and 5:30 P. M.

FREIGHT SCHEDULE.

Freight cars leaves Wilmington daily cept Sunday at 4.00 p m. Freight depot op from 2.00 to 4.00 p m.

Baltimore and Carolina Steamship Company.



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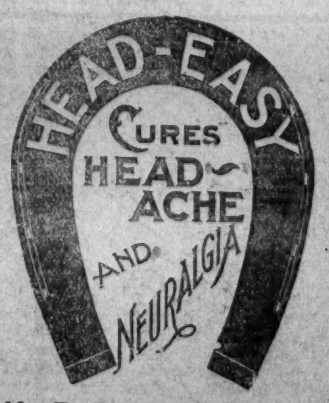

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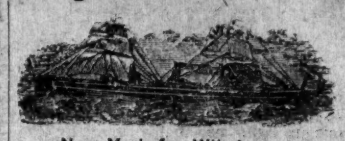

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CONTROL THE COAST

Remarkable Career of Charles W. Morse, Steamship Magnate Who Recently Purchased The Clyde Interests—His Fortune.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, N. Y., Feb. 28.—From the rural community of Bath, Maine, a quarter of a century ago to a "captain of industry" controlling practically every coast steamship line from new Brunswick to the Gulf epitomizes the amazing career of Charles Wyman Morse, whose recent ventures have again caused New York financiers to sit up and take notice. The methods and successes of Morse—ice king, owner of a chain of banks and steamship magnate—can be compared only to the amazing celerity, secrecy and force with which E. H. Harlman has conducted his unparalleled campaign in the railroad world.

Mr. Morse has been balked for the time being in his efforts to buy from the New Haven railroad their line of Sound steamers. But it is believed that he will ultimately attain his object, for he usually gets what he goes after. He now owns all the lines of steamships plying the Hudson river. In 1901 he picked up the Boston and Portland steamship line, then the Boston and Quebec steamship company; then the Boston and Bangor steamship company, and then the International steamship company, which put him in control of all the lines running out of Boston to the Maine coast. His next acquisition was the splendid Metropolitan steamship company, operating between Boston and New York Next he gobbled the Clyde line, operating from Boston to New York and to the south. This made his steamship holdings greater than those of any other man in this country.

Should his negotiations with the New Haven company terminate successfully Mr. Morse will probably bring all of his various corporations under the control of one parent company, which may possibly be the Hudson River Steamship Company. That would probably mean a capitalization somewhat in excess of $100,000,000.

With all his big deals and all his success Morse still remains something of an enigma to New York financiers. They have never been able to exactly size him up. They are even yet in doubt as to whether he is a real and permanent force in the financial world of the metropolis, or whether, simply through a combination of shrewdness and luck, he has broken into the multi-millionaire class with his dollars as a jimmy but lacking the personal force and character necessary to place a man on that financial plane now occupied by less than a dozen New Yorkers

While he had been measurably well known for some years, and well thought of Mr. Morse flashed into the game rather spectacularly back in 1899 when he took over most of the ice companies and got himself and his business talked about not a little. The revelations at that time were of the sort to induce head-shakes among the older and more conservative financiers.

While Morse wasn't "born with a gold spoon in his mouth" there were in his family financial independence, thrift, business ability and business reputation. So he had everything necessary to give him a good start in the world. He first saw the light in Bath, Maine, in 1856. For a time he was engaged with his father, who was engaged in the tow-boat business in the Kennebec. But this was too slow for "Charlie' and he came to New York in the early eighties to seek a wider field for his energies.

During the early years of his residence in this city he speculated in ice by the cargo, in hard pine cargoes, in "pieces" of schooners and steamers and tugs, and meanwhile took his father and other relatives along Easy street with him. They came to own a big line of ocean carriers and ocean tugs, and their ice interests were vastly expanded.

When he married, shortly after coming to New York, he was already a rich man, and not eight years out of college, either. His wife was a Miss Hussey of Brooklyn. They made their home in Brooklyn and lived in good style. But Morse was bound up in his business, cared nothing for the social side of life, and could not by any stretch of the imagination be called "one of the boys."

Later he came over to Manhattan and bought a pretentious house in West Seventieth street, near Central Park. There were three boys and a baby girl in the family when the first Mrs. Morse died. Then the father bought a handsome place in Bath and installed his sister and the children. For himself he bought a house in Fifth avenue in the heart of the millionaire district. There in 1901, he took a second wife, Mrs. Clemente Dodge. The legal complications following his marriage to Mrs. Dodge attracted about as much attention as anything of its kind ever did in this country. There are many who have reason never to forget the famous case—Lawyer Abe Hummel, for instance, who is now resting under a prison sentence for the part he took in it.

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Old Statute Declares Person with Less Than One-Fourth of Negro Blood in His Veins is White—Cite Cases as Precedents.

(Special to Washington Post.)

Richmond, Va., Feb. 24.—Recent objections raised by Mrs. W. J. Doss, of Hurts, Pittsylvania county, against children infused with negro blood being permitted to attend the white schools of the county, which complaints were embodied in a letter to Gov. Claude A. Swanson, have become the subject of very general comment. Inquiry into existing laws concerning miscegenation and the intermarriage of whites and blacks in Virginia has been attended by disclosures which are not alone sensational, but alarming.

It appears that the fundamental statutes embodied in the Virginia code regarding the definition of a negro are not generally familiar to the people. For instance, it is set forth that a man or woman tainted with the blood of African progenitors, so long as the infusion be not one-fourth is not considered a negro in the eyes of the law of this State, but is esteemed as a white citizen, and is entitled to be rated as such. Moreover, according to the code, any person having negro blood in his veins, yet possessed of less than one-fourth of it, is recognized under the statutes and laws of Virginia as a white man or woman, and is entitled to marry a pure white person.

Woman Protests to Governor.

Mrs. Doss says in her letter that her children and those of some of her white neighbors have been deprived of the chance of acquiring an education by the presence in the schools of objectionable children, who, she alleges, have every indication of the presence of negro blood—in speech, manner, and action. The letter was referred by the governor to the superintendent of publis instruction for further investigation. The superintendent of instructtion in turn referred the matter to the superintendent of schoolsf or Pittsylvania county.

Nothing further can be done in the matter until this official has made his formal report. Even if the alleged portion—one-seventh—of negro blood in these children is established, it will not prevent their attendance in schools under the law.

These cases are not altogether uncommon in Virginia, and it has happened that more than one school in the State has been closed because of the attendance of negro children. This for the most part happened, however, in years long past, and very few people of the present generation are aware that such a law exists in the State. The line between the whites and blacks has been very closely drawn, as well-known attorneys point out.

In Pollard's code of Virginia, section 49, is found the following:

Code Defines Color.

"Colored persons and Indians defined: Every person having one-fourth or more negro blood shall be deemed a colored person, and every person not a colored person having one fourth or more of Indian blood shall be deemed an Indian."

In the same code, section 3788, is found the following:

"Marriage of white persons with colored persons, how punished: If any white person intermarry with a colored person, or any colored person intermarry with a white person, he shall be confined in the penitentiary not less than two nor more than five years."

"These annotations follow this section:

"A marriage between a white man and a woman who is of less than one-fourth negro blood, even though it be only one drop less, is legal."

It would seem, then, that in order to sustain a charge under this section it would be necessary to prove that the accused is a person of one-fourth or more of negro blood, and the burden of proving this must lie on the Commonwealth.

Code Law on Schools.

Section 1492 of the code takes up the matter of admitting children into the public schools of the State. It reads:

"Who admitted to public schools; provisions for children of adjoining districts; separate school for white and colored: The public schools shall be free to all persons between the ages of seven and twenty years residing within the school district, provided white and colored persons shall not be taught in the same school but shall be taught in separate schools under the same general regulations."

The following annotation is appended:

"Whether a child is white or colored is a fact to be determined by the school board, and involves the exercise of judicial discretion, which the courts cannot control. An appeal will lie to the county school superintendent."

It has been argued against sections 49 and 3788 that they were enacted by a "carpet-bagger" legislature, in 1866, and are, therefore, in a certain sense spurious, as not fully representative of the voice of the people. However this may be, their conflict with existing "Jim Crow" legislation has already caused a rupture, in which the complainant, claiming, by his mother, to be a negro, was proven, by the laws to be a white man, and so lost in litigation.

Another case that may be cited is that of Stewart vs. The Commonwealth, tried in this city in 1877. The case is quoted from Grattan's Reports, 28, 938, and is the opinion handed down by the Supreme Court of the State.

At the March term of the Supreme Court, sitting in Richmond, in 1877, two appeal cases were presented—that of McPherson vs. Commonwealth, and that of Stewart vs. The Commonwealth. These cases were separate indictments, the one against Rowena McPherson, for living in illicit intercourse with George Stewart, he not being her husband, and the other against George Stewart, for living in illicit intercourse with Rowena McPherson, she not being his wife. The proofs were that the pair had been married, and the only question to be decided by the court was whether the woman was a negress, and, therefore, the marriage illegal, as Stewart was a white man.

The opinion of the Supreme Court, in part, follows:

"It appears from the certificate of the facts which were proven upon the trial that Rowena McPherson, with whom George Stewart is alleged to have intermarried, is not a negress, and, therefore, the said marriage is not, on that account, illegal. It appears that less than one-fourth of her blood is negro blood. If it be but one drop less, she is not a negress."

Legislature May Act.

Having so far sought in vain for any amendment of these statutes, as set forth and embodied in the code of Virginia, several inquiring lawyers in this city are beginning to look into the future. They hold that in spite of the best-laid schemes to prevent the amalgamation of the two races, such a law, practically legalizing the intermarriage of the whites and blacks, will certainly endanger the long existence of the one or the other.

The people generally hold, of course, that one drop of negro blood makes a negro, and their steadfastness of purpose and the strict social lines that are drawn are considered the only real safeguards of the white race in the South. The legislative body of Virginia will assemble in this city next year. There seems scarcely any doubt but that the existing situation will be brought to its attention.

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GEN. BOOTH'S TRIP

His Tour Around the World And His Close Attention to Salvation Army Affairs—Life That Would Tax Energies.

London, Feb. 23.—To make a hurried trip around the world, to deliver public speeches almost every day and every night, and at the same time to keep in personal touch with all the details in the management of a world-wide organization would seem almost too much to be undertaken by a man of near eighty years of age and not in any too robust health. But this is the task mapped out by General William Booth, the founder and head of the Salvation Army, who sailed for New York today on the steamer Minneapolis. He will spend two weeks in the American metropolis before proceeding by way of Canada to take the steamer Minnesota on April 1st for Japan. After travelling through the empire of the Mikado, General Booth will go on to Pekin. He plans to be back in London by July to commence another automobile campaign through the British Isles. At the conclusion of this trip, in the month of October, he will again cross the Atlantic for a two-months' trip in the United States.

The amazing energy and vitality displayed by General Booth is something truly remarkable. For years he has led a life that would tax the energies of most men of half his years. He is constantly on the go, now in Norway Sweden or some other part of Europe and soon on a hurried trip to Australia, India or some other remote land. And no matter where he happens to be it would seem as if he never for an instant relaxes his firm grasp on the affairs of the Salvation Army as directed from the general headquarters in London. It is said that there is not a single detail in the world-wide activities and ramifications of the organization with which he is not personally acquainted. Though he has able lieutenants in the persons of the various members of his family they are never trusted to act independently in any matter of importance. Every matter is referred to General Booth before action is taken. He frequently consults with his subordinates, but always acts on his own judgment. General Ballington Booth was inclined to manifest a spirit of independence and the result was a permanent severance in the relations of the father and son. Rumor has had it that General Booth will attempt a reconciliation on his forthcoming visit to New York, but those who are acquainted with the austere character and views of the good leader do not place much stock in these reports.

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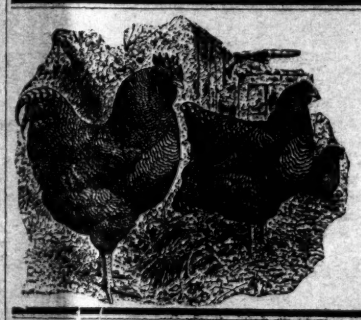

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Happenings and Doings In Society.

By G. N. H.

Mrs. Marsden Bellamy, Jr., has been welcomed home after a pleasant visit to her parents in Tarboro, N. C.

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Mrs. James Sprunt, who has been on a visit in Baltimore for some days, has been welcomed home again by friends.

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Miss Ellen Chase, of Brookline, Mass, was welcomed last Tuesday, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Latimer.

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Mrs. E. P. Bailey and Mrs. T. G. Emple have gone to New York and will sail Thursday for a four weeks trip to Mexico and Cuba.

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Miss Alice Wright, who has been the guest of Miss Frances Broadfoot, in Fayetteville for some weeks, was welcomed home last Tuesday.

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Mr. Haughton James will leave tomorrow to assume his new duties in Whiteville. His friends will always be pleased to welcome him home.

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The most absorbing themes of after-Easter festivities, are the April marriages,—while the Club's Easter dances are also pleasant anticipations.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gaston M. Myers were welcomed by friends on Friday and will make a visit of about two months in this city. While here they will be guests at the home of Mrs. Annie DeRosset Harriss.

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Mr. W. L. DeRosset, Jr., spent last Sunday in this city returning from a trip to Florida. Monday, accompanied by his wife, he returned to Fayetteville where he is now residing. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. DeRosset are pleased at all times to see them.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Meares, of Florence, South Carolina, spent several days in this city last week on a visit to Mr. Meares' mother, Mrs. Kate DeRosset-Meares. Their friends were pleased to have even a little glimpse of them.

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The Light House, at Wrightsville, is the scene of very many pleasant oyster roast parties on pleasant days, and, indeed, such parties and the meetings of the Golf Club at the Country Club are the only pleasures of a social nature indulged in at this season.

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Miss Nell Ellis returned to New Orleans last Sunday, and, judging from the quantities of Rock Spring water offered her, quite a number of young gentlemen were altogether averse to her going, and it is the fervent hope of many that the traditions of the Rock Spring will prove more than efficacious in this instance.

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Miss Jessie Stevens, one of Southport's most attractive young women, who has many friends here, gave them the pleasure of a visit of a few days during the past week. Miss Stevens was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. John B. Cranmer. Her numerous friends are always pleased to extend to her a cordial welcome to Wilmington.

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Mr. Seymour W. Merrill left yesterday on the Clyde Line steamer for New York, from whence he goes to Massachusetts to visit relatives. Mr. Merrill will be absent for several months, but expects to return to Wilmington to again take up his residence here. His many friends regret his departure and will gladly welcome him among them on his return.

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The Public Library is meeting a growing popularity, and is being taken advantage of by very many, who appreciate the opportunity offered, to have the absolutely free use of a comparatively large and fine library. It is considered in many places that the graceful thing to do, is for those who have the use of the Library to donate one volume a year. If each person would feel sufficient interest in the growth of the library to donate a volume annually, many would be mutually benefited.

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Mrs. Cameron F. MacRae and Mrs. Greene Fenley sang most beautifully, last Sunday evening, in St. James' Church, an anthem, which was an adaptation of the well known hymn "My Faith Looks Up to Thee", adding very much to the impressiveness of the services. Rev. Mr. Hogue is deliverying a series of talks to men, but not for men only, which are very much enjoyed by the Sunday evening congregations. The Sunday night services attract many and special music adds much to the praise services of the church.

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The Inter-State convention of the Y. M. C. A. which will be held in this city on the 23rd, 24th and 25th instant, is looked forward to with pleasurable anticipations by the large number in this city who interest themselves in this laudable work. More than two hundred delegates will attend and the matter of their entertainment is receiving the attention of a committee appointed for this purpose. The Woman's Auxiliary of he Y. M. C. A., of which Mrs. Charles C. Covington is the president, is composed of enthusiastic workers and anything undertaken by them is sure to be carried to a successful issue.

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Miss Mary Ella Moore who has been spending the Winter with her sister, Mrs. Dunning, at her home near Boston, sailed from New York last Saturday for a tour of Europe which will require about six months to complete. Miss Moore sailed in company with Mr and. Mrs. Dunning and will make many places of renown in Europe and the continent. They were to have left the States on the third of February, but were forced to change their plans by reason of the sickness of Mrs. Dunning whom we are pleased to say has come safely through her indisposition and is now regarded as in almost perfect health.

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Lent seems to be more strictly and generally observed this season than in former years, and even in Florida, which is considered the Winter playgrounds of persons to whom all known pleasures are available, has practically gone to sleep. With the exception of a few Washington Birthday parties, the only festivities have been a "fat man's race" at Palm Beach, which was followed by a reception in which the gowns of the ladies were the supreme attraction. Among those present were Mrs. Henry M. Flagler, who was regal in an imported robe of white point applique with pearl ornaments.

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The Academy of Music will be dark this week with the exception of Thursday evening when "The Sweetest Girl in Dixie" will be presented by a metropolitan cast. The following Thursday, "When Knighthood Was in Flower" will be the offering, to be followed on the fifteenth by the "Sign of the Cross," which is a good lenten play, and on the nineteenth "The Man on The Box" will be played by a company which should give satisfaction. There are several "hold dates" booked for March and the probabilities are that there will be several other one-night-stand companies and a repertoire troupe, of some merit, to hold the boards, in addition to the above, James O'Neal is booked for April thirteenth, but his play has not been made known.

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The announcement of the approaching marriage of Miss "Cricket" Graham and Mr. Clarence E. Motte, which will take place in the First Baptist Church, on Tuesday, April sixteenth, will be received with much pleasure by the many friends of the popular young couple. The bride-elect, who is a daughter of Mrs. S. E. Graham, of this city, numbers her friends by the score, and is universally loved and admired for her many charms and beautiful traits of character. Mr. Motte is one of Wilmington's clever young business men, having been connected with the Standard Oil Company for several years, and now holds the responsible position of chief stock clerk in their offices in this city. Mr. Motte is being heartily congratulated on his approaching marriage.

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Says the Richmond (Va.) News-Leader: "The wedding of Miss Daisy Hancock, daughter of Mr. W. T. Hancock, of 11 North Twenty-ninth street, to the Rev. Alonzo T. King, formerly of Wilmington, N. C., and more recently of this city, took place quietly at 5 o'clock in the afternoon in the home of the bride, the Rev. Calvin S. Blackwell, of the First Baptist church, Norfolk, Va., officiating. The announcement of the marriage comes in the nature of a surprise to the many friends of the bride, who is prominent in Richmond society. Mr. King, who is now engaged in educational work, was, before he took it up, pastor of Fairmount Baptist church. He took his master's degree at Richmond College, and also the master of theology degree at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, in Louisville, Ky., and is now pastor of Hebron and Beulah, two of the largest and strongest Baptist churches in King William county. Mr. and Mrs. King, after they return from a Northern trip, will be at home at 11 North Twenty-ninth street."

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The home of Captain and Mrs. Albert W. Anderson, on South Front street was the scene of an unusually pretty marriage last Tuesday at high noon, when Miss Estelle Hillhouse, an attractive sister of Mrs. Anderson, became the bride of Mr. George E. Banks, Jr., of Winchester, Tenn. The Anderson home had received many beautiful touches in its pretty decorations. The broad halls seemed to be touched by a fairy wand and the beautiful parlors were made more attractive by quantities of white and pink carnations and ropes of smilax which made the rooms glow with soft brilliance. The bride and groom stood before a pretty altar with their attendants, Miss Lola Anderson, maid of honor; Miss Louise Phillips, of Winchester, Tenn., bridemaid; Mr. P. H. Williams, of Winchester, best man and Mr. W. W. Simpson, of this city, as groomsman, and plighted their troth each to the other, Rev. Dr. Wells, of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating. The marriage was a quiet home wedding, because of the sickness of the bride's father, and was witnessed by only a very few of the intimate friends of the family. Immediately following the ceremony a beautiful wedding luncheon was served, at the conclusion of which Mr .and Mrs. Banks left on the westbound Seaboard train for their future home in Winchester, Tenn. The bride and groom received hearty congratulations and best wishes and left amid a shower of rice.

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Several ladies of Raleigh, residing in the same neighborhood, have hit on a plan of entertaining which not only has an element of novelty, but is unique in itself and bids fair to be a popular social fad. The novel entertainment was a progressive dinner party, served in courses, which the men were not "onto" and proved to be a most pleasing series of surprises. The News and Observer says: "The first course was served at Mrs. James F. Jordan's the color scheme being white and American flags. Imagine the digust and astonishment of the hugry men, when after this course, consisting of delightful soup, was served, it was announced that dinner was over. However, the strain was greatly relieved when they adjourned to the home of Mrs. James Robbins, where two elegant courses of delightful substantials were served. The color scheme there being red and white. But the end was not yet. Thence they repaired to the home of Mrs. Walter Woolcott, where another delicious course was served, the color scheme there being pink. This was new mode of procedure to the men, but, inasmuch as the further they went the better it got, they stuck to their chaperones and next they went to the home of Mrs. W. P. Smith, where delightful fruit punch was served, this being the last section of this dinner, which though novel and new was a series of delights. The ladies were attired in Martha Washington style.

PAPER FROM REFUSE

Hint That is Worthy the Consideration of Saw Mill Operators in North Carolina—Waste Product Utilized.

At Orange, Tex., an important lumber town, located near the Lousiana and Texas State line, the Yellow Pine Paper Company has recently been established, and is already a success. It is a kind of side issue to the Yellow Pine Lumber Company, to use the refuse matter from the mills that saw up the yellow pine lumber. It is believed that the experiments of manufacturing paper from sawdust and other refuse matter from the lumber company's mills will, in the course of time, present a solution of the paper problem, and possibly crack the spinal column of the paper trust.

Mr. W. H. Stark, the president and general manager of the paper company, was in New Orleans last week, attending the Mardi Gras festivities, and in a talk with a reporter of the New Orleans States concerning the operations of his experimental plant, he said that the output of his paper mill is now ten tons per day, the mill being constantly worked at its fullest capacity.

"We have no trouble in selling every pound we can make," said Mr. Stark, "and we do not have far to go to find a market, either. We sell our paper, which is a fine quality of wrapping, right at the nearest Texas and Louisiana markets. We use the refuse from our pine lumber mills in making the paper product, and if it were a matter of business expediency, we could convert all of our product into writing paper or newspaper stock. But the bleaching is a process involving additional expense, which is not necessary, for we can sell the wrapping paper, for which there is an ever-growing market, as ready as we could sell the better bleached qualities.

"No, we have never looked into the possibilities of making paper out of baggasse, the refuse from the sugar-cane mills, or of making it from rice straw, of which there is such an abundance in both Louisiana and Texas.

"But I wish to say, that in all likelihood there is enough waste product in the sugar mills of the Gulf States and in the rice fields and about the lumber mills to supply a very large quantity of paper, and thus add a considerable to an industry, that of paper making, which is now generally considered to be short of supplies. And for this reason the attention of capital might very profitably be directed to our possibilities in this direction.

"So far, I believe, that we are the only successful pioneer in the making of paper from pine refuse to an extent that makes the industry commercially possible and profitable."

A SPECIFIC FOR GRIP.

A Discovery in Medicine of Countless Value if It Proves Real.

Editorial in New York Times.

The Times advises its readers not to let the disease "run its course," but when they feel the oncoming symptoms of influenza to consult their physicians. A writer in the Medical Record of February 23 has announced that both a prophylactic remedy and "practically a specific for almost every step, stage, and variety of la grippe, when free from serious early complications," are now a part of the medical armament. The specific is gelsemium, the tincture of the fresh root. The fresh plant tincture only is endowed with medicinal virtue, the ordinary fluid preparations of the dry root being quite valueless in cases of influenza. The plant is highly poisonous, and the disease requires careful dosage, which must be reduced as the patient improves. Of course, any attempt at self-administration of this drug would be criminal folly. The important fact to the lay mind is that a specific exists, and that it may be successfully administered by a competent physician.

Immunity to patients who have previously suffered from repated attacks of influenza is given by a like cautious treatment with arsenic as a prophylactic. Sometimes the dosage of this powerful agent must be suspended at intervals for not a few patients become more sensitive to its action than to the disease; but it rarely fails, and it conquers the miasm in more than 94 per cent of cases.

Epidemic influenza, says the writer in the Medical Record, invaded the United States "in a pestilential wave from the overflowed banks of the filthy Neva and other open sewers in Russia." That must have been a long time ago. In the days of President Jackson and his opponent, Tyler, the infectious catarrh was known as "Jackson's itch," and the "Tyler grip," by their respective partisans. The Russians call it Chinese catarrah, the Germans name it the Russian pest, the Italians refer its origin to Germany, and in France it is known as the Italian fever and the Spanish catarrh. The name "influenza" comes from Italy. Doubtless we shall be afflicted with the epidemic so long as immigrants continue to pour in from European countries, or until our public sanitation shall be perfected. Meanwhile it is comforting to know of the announcement in a reputable medical journal that a specific has been found.

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Tar 87
Crude turpentine 2

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PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime $1.40 extra prime, $1.45; fancy, $1.50 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—Prime, $1.10; extra prime, $1.15; fancy, $1.19@$1.20; Spanish, $1.25@$1.40.

CORN—Firm, 68@70c per bushel for white; 66@68 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 17@18c per pound; shoulders, 12to 13c; sides dull, 11@13c.

EGGS—Dull at 18@20c.

CHICKENS—Firm 20@30c for small growns 35@40c.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-4c per pound.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 8@8 1-2c per pound.

PORK—Corn-fed 7 to 8.

TURKEYS—Firm, live 15@16c; dressed 20 @ 22c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, March 2.—The cotton market opened barely steady at an advance of 3 points to a decline of one point, near months being relatively steady as a result of better cables than due, while considerable selling developed during the call as a result of bearish week-end figures. Trading was pretty active at first, and there was quite a good deal of realizing under which the active months sold off to a net loss of about 3 to 5 points.

Receipts of cotton at the ports today 24,857 bales, against 21,631 last week and 13,072 last year. For the week (estimated) 170,000 bales against 187,781 last week and 105,434 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 5,333 bales against 5.066 last year, and at Houston 3,968 bales, against 2,248 last year.

Spot cotton closed steady; middling uplands 11.25; middling gulf 11.50; sales none.

Futures closed steady. Prices follow:

Month.	Open.	Close.
March	9.65	9.61
April	9.70	9.69
May	9.80	9.76
June	bid 9.81	9.80
July	9.86	9.84
August	9.88	9.88
September	9.89	9.89
October	10.09	10.10
December	10.16	10.16
January	——	10.38

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Holiday; net receipts 13,598.

New Orleans—steady, 10 11-16; net receipts 5,333.

Mobile—Steady, 10 1-4; net receipts 151.

Savannah—Steady, 10 1-2;; net receipts 1,792.

Charleston—Firm, 10 3-8; net receipts 50.

Wilmington—Steady, 10 3-8; net receipts 608.

Norfolk—Steady, 11; net receipts 1,715.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 1-8.

New York—Steady, 11.25; net recepts 72.

Boston—Steady, 11.25; net receipts 117 bales.

Philadelphia—Steady at 11.50; net recepts 25.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 24,857; Great Brtain 20,837; Contnent 11,028; Japan 1,395; stocks 1,054,067.

Consoldated, at all ports, net receipts 24,857; Great Britan 20,837; Continent 11,028.

Total since September 1, at all ports, net receipts 8,296,725; Great Britain 2,891,426; France 731,519; Continent 2,557,703; Japan 145,280.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady; net receipts 3,963.

Augusta—Quiet, 11 3-8; net receipts 2,142.

Memphis—Steady, 10 9-16;; net receipts 938.

St. Louis—Steady, 10 11-16.

Cincinnati—Firm, 10 11-16.

Louisville—Firm, 10 11-16.

Total today; net receipts 7,674; gross receipts 11,201; shipments 14,602 sales 3,601; stocks 320,232.

Liverpool Markets.

Liverpool, March 2.—Cotton: spot, moderate business done; prices, 1 to 3 points lower. American middling, 6.95; god middling, 6.49; middling, 6.13; low midding, 5.79; good ordinary, 5.27; ordinary, 4.99.

The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 300 were for speculation and export, and included 5,300 American. Receipts, 33,000 bales, including 30,600 American.

Futures opened easier and closed steady. Closing: March, 5.76 1-2; March and April, 5.76; April and May, 5.74 1-2; May and June, 5.73; June and July, 5.72 1-2; July and August, 5.71 1-2; August and eptember, 5.68 1-2; September and October, 5.66 1-2; October and November, 5.62 1-2; November and December, 5.62 1-2; December and January, 5.62; January and February, 5.63.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, March 2.—The dry goods market was firm today. Linens and burlaps are firm with a fair demand for spot. Ingrain carpet mills are reported to be about to form a protective association and selling agency but covering steadied the market during the middle of the morning and prices recovered a point or two of their loss.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, March 2.—Money on call nominal; time loans, strong; sixty days, 5 3-4@6 per cent.; ninety days, 5 3-4 per cent. Six months, 5 1-2@5 3-4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5 3-4@6 per cent. Sterling exchange, steady, with business in bankers' bills at 4.8465@4.8470 for demand, and at 4.8040@4.8050 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 4 811-2 and 4.85 1-2. Commercial bills, 4.80 1-4@4.80 3-8. Bar silver, 69 1-8. Mexican dollars, 53 1-4.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg	105
U. S. Refunding 2s cou	105 1-2
U. S. 3s reg	103 3-4
U. S. 3s cou	103 3-4
U. S. old 4s reg	100 5-8
U. S. old 4s cou	101 5-8
U. S. new 4s reg	129
U. S. New 4s cou	129
American Tobacco Co 4s	74
American Tobacco Co 6s	109 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line	96
Baltimore & Ohio	101 1-4
L. & N. Unified 4s	100 1-4
Seaboard Air Line	79 7-8
Southern Railway	110 1-4
U. S. Steel 2nd pfd	98 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	110
American Sugar Refining	135 1-2
American Tobacco, pfd cert.	95 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	115 1-2
Baltimore Ohio	109 1-8
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	89
Chesapeake & Ohio	49
L. & N.	127 1-4
New York Central	124 1-4
Norfolk & Western	84 3-8
Norfolk & Western pfd	80
People's Gas	92 3-4
Reading	115 1-8
Reading 1st pfd	89
Reading 2nd pfd	89
Southern Pacific	90 7-8
Southern Pacific pfd	117
Southern Railway	25 3-8
Southern Railway pfd	77 1-4
Tenn. Coal & Iron	147
U. S. Steel	43 7-8
U. S. Steel pfd	103 5-8
Va-Car. Chemical	33
Va-Car Chemical pfd	106
Seaboard Air Line	—
Seaboard Air Line pfd	84
Standard Oil	525
Western Union	80 1-2

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, March 2.—FLOUR—Dull and lower. Minnesota patents 4.10 to 4.40; winter patents 3.60 to 3.85.

CORN MEAL—Steady; fine, white and yellow 1.20 to 1.25; coarse 1.10 to 1.12; kilndried 2.65 to 2.75.

WHEAT—Spot steady; No. 2 red 80 7-8 elevator. Options 3-4 net lower; May 84; July 83 3-4; September 82 3-4.

CORN—Spot steady; No. 2, 58 elevator. Options 1-8c net lower. May 54 1-8; July 53 3-8.

OATS—Spot firm; mixed 48.

LARD — Barely steady; western prime 9.80; refined easy; continent 10.05; S. A. 11.00; compound 8 3-4 to 8 7-8.

PORK—Steady; family 20.05; short clear 18.00 to 19.25; mess 18.50 to 19.25.

TALLOW—Steady; city 6 3-4; country 6 1-2 to 7.

RICE—Steady; domestic fair to extra 2 3-4 to 6 1-4.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans open kettle good to choice 37 to 48.

SUGAR—Steady; fair refining 2-15-16; centrifugal 96 test 3 7-16; molasses sugar 2 11-16. Refined steady.

COFFEE—Spot firm; No. 7 Rio 7-3-8; No. 4 Santos 8 3-8; mild coffee steady; Cordova 9 to 12 1-2. Futures unchanged to 5 points higher.

BUTTER—Steady, unchanged.

CHEESE—Firm, unchanged.

EGGS—Steady; nearby selected 29; western firsts 26.

FREIGHT AND PEANUTS—Quiet, unchanged.

POTATOES—Irregular, unchanged.

CABBAGES—Steady, unchanged.

COTTON SEED OIL Was easy under offerings. Prime crude fob mills 41; do summer yellow 48; off summer yellow 44 1-2 to 46; good off summer yellow 45 to 46; prime white 54 1-2; prime winter yellow 53.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, March 2.—The fear that the weekly statistics which will be made public on Monday will be favorable to the bears, caused an extremely weak market in wheat today. At the close wheat for May delivery was down 3-4@7-8c. Corn was off 1-8. Oats showed a loss of 3-8@1-2, and provisions a loss of 7 1-2@10 to 17 1-2.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, easy; Winter patents, 3.20@3.50; straights, 3.00@3.25; Spring Patents, 3.50@3.60; straights, 3.10@3.40; bakers' 2.10@2.70; No. 2 Spring wheat, 80@84; No. 3, 72@82; No. 2 red, 72 7-8@74 1-8; No. 2 corn, 43 3-4; No. 2 yellow, 44; No. 2 oats, 40 3-8; No. 2 white, 43 1-4@43 1-2; No. 3 white, 44 1-4; No. 2 rye, 42 1-4; short ribs sides (loose), 8.62 1-2@8.75; mess pork per barrel, 16.25@16.30; lard, per 100 pounds, 9.35; short clear sides (boxed), 8.87 1-2@9.37 1-2; whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.29.

Leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—May, 75 7-8@76; July, 76 7-8; September, 76 7-8.

Corn—May, 46 3-4@46 7-8; July, 46; September, 46 1-4@46 3-8.

Oats—May, 41 3-4; July, 37 1-4; September, 32 3-8.

Mess pork, per barrel, 16.22 1-2; July, 16.37 1-2.

Lard per 100 pounds—May, 9.45; July, 9.50; September, 9.57 1-2.

Short ribs, per 100 pounds—8.85; July, 8.95; September, 9.00.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, March 2.—Turpentine, 75@75 1-2; rosin, steady; strained, common to good, 4.45@4.50.

Savannah, March 2.—Turpentine, firm 72; sales, 118; receipts, 25; shipments, 182.

Rosin, firm; sales, 916; receipts, 194; shipments, 743; stock, 60,906.

Quote: A. B. C., 4.15; D., 4.20; E., 4.25; F., 4.30; G., 4.35; H., 4.60; I., 4.65; K., 5.45; M., 5.60; N., 6.10; W. G., 6.40; W. W., 6.55.

Charleston, March 2.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

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Portland, Me.—Schr. M. V. B. Chase, 471,000 feet lumber; cargo by Cape Fear Lumber Company, vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., March 2, 1907.

C. C. Railroad—40 bales cotton; 4 barrels tar.

W. & W. Railroad—151 bales cotton; 6 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—261 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 8 barrels rosin; 55 barrels tar.

A. & Y. Railroad—79 bales cotton; 5 barrels rosin.

W. & N. Railroad—62 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine.

Str. Alice—14 bales cotton; 12 barrels tar.

Schr Pigott—1 bale cotton; 56 barrels rosin; 10 barrels tar.

Raft—1,186 barrels rosin.

Total—608 bales cotton; 6 casks spirits turpentine; 1,255 barrels rosin; 87 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

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THE LAND OF ROMANCE.

Spain and the Peculiar Temperament of Its People.

If I were asked to sum up the dominant impression that the survival in Spain of the old world mediaevalism makes, I should say that Spain is in the precise and specific sense of the word the home of romance. The special character of the Spanish temperament and of Spanish developments in literature and in art is marked by a quality, rising and sinking with the rise and fall of Gothic, which we call the romantic spirit—a mixture, that is, of the mysterious and grandiose with the grotesquely bizarre of the soaringly ideal with the crudely real, a mixture which to us today has the cunning fascination of art, but was really on both sides the natural outcome of the experiences and feelings of the men who created it. This romantic spirit was once the common possession of all Christendom, but the Spanish temperament peculiarly lent itself to the romantic attitude, and it is in Spain today that we may catch its final vanishing echoes. It is the church, always the most powerful stronghold of tradition among any people, which enables the stranger most vividly to realize how well the romantic spirit has been preserved in Spain. Notwithstanding invasions from without and revolutions from within, especially during the early years of the last century, Spain is still the country where the mediaeval spirit of romantic devotion is most splendidly embodied and preserved.—Havelock Ellis in Atlantic.

THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

A Member May Drink There, but Is Not Allowed to Eat.

The British house of commons has its own code in regard to the partaking of liquid and solid refreshments. A member making a long speech may take a drink, and the house is liberal enough not to care whether the color of the contents of the glass is white or brown or black, whether, in fact, the glass holds water or whisky or beer. Mr. Gladstone's egg flips, which his wife carefully compounded for him and he brought to the house in a bottle, are classic.

But woe betide the man who scorns drink and must have meat. Contemporary recollection only recalls one member rash enough to disregard this rule. It was a number of years ago, in the stormy time of the home rule debates, that an Irish member, in the small hours of the morning, produced from his pocket a paper bag and drew out a bun, which he proceeded calmly to eat. The house was instantly in an uproar. There were loud cries of "Order! Order!" and that bun was never finished.

No member may read a newspaper in the house. If he had the temerity to smoke, the sergeant at arms would quickly place him under lock and key. —Appleton's Magazine.

Mexican Church Legends.

Queretaro was a town before the Spanish conquest and was made a city in 1655. A legend of Queretaro is that an Otomite chief, Fernando de Tapia by name, undertook to convert the city to Christianity in a way that seems novel to us, but was common enough to his day. He came from Tula with a challenge to the people of Queretaro to a fair stand up fight. If he won, the people surviving were to be baptized. The challenge was accepted, but while the fight was in progress a dark cloud came up and the blessed Santiago was seen in the heavens with a fiery cross, whereupon the people of Queretaro gave up and were baptized. They set up a stone cross to commemorate the event on the site of the present church of Santa Cruz. There is scarcely a church in Mexico which has not a legend of this kind attached to it.

Misjudged.

The manager of an office had advertised for an office boy. In consequence he was annoyed for an hour by a straggling line of boys of all sizes, claiming various accomplishments.

"Well," he said to a late applicant, "I suppose you can read anything, and write anything, and figure a little, and use the typewriter a little, and"—

"Naw!" interrupted the boy. "If I could do all them things I'd strike yer fer yer own job. I ain't nothin' but an office boy."

He got the position.—Bohemian.

Remedy For Excess In Eating.

A hint to those who may thoughtlessly at some time or other indulge in excess in eating. If this indiscretion is committed, especially in high seasoned things with rich sauces, a draft of cold water acidulated with lemon juice will take off the sense of weight at the stomach and assist the digestive process by moderating the alimentary fermentation.

Old English Elections.

As an illustration of the violence that was once common during political campaigns in England is a quaint bill from a lawyer after an election at Andover in 1768: "To being thrown out of the George inn, Andover, to my legs being thereby broken, to surgeon's bill and loss of time and business, £500."

A Loophole.

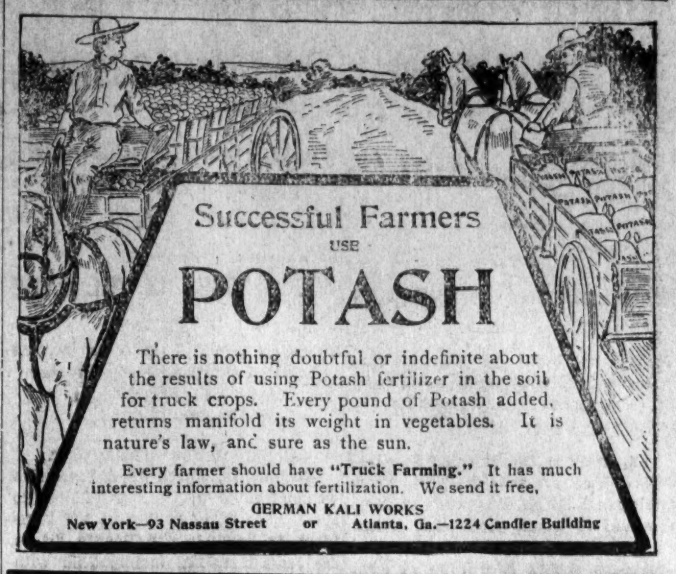
"But, Tommy," said his mother, "didn't your conscience tell you you were doing wong?"

"Yes'm," replied Tommy, "but I don't believe everything I hear."—Philadelphia Press.

The Purchasing Agent.

"Dad," asked Bobby, "what is biology?"

"Go ask your mother," replied dad curtly. "She spends the most money." —Harper's Weekly.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Boys' $3.50 Ready Made Suits, new Spring patterns; this week $2.50.

75c Men's Negligee Shirts, in white and colors; this week 50c.

Special Values in Grips, Bags, and Trunks.

Boys' and Girls' Windsor Ties, all colors, extra value, worth 25s; now 10c.

100 dozen 25c linen fringed Towels; this week, 18c each.

25c colored Organdy, this sale 10c yard.

The best Apron Ginghams this week 6c.

35c full width Table Linen this week 25c yard.

65c. full width Table Linen, big values,;this week 45c yard.

75c full width Table Linen, this week 58c yard.

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SEVENTH WEEK OF THAW TRIAL

Probabilities Are That Case Will Continue Two or Three Weeks Longer.

HINGES ON THAW'S INSANITY

Jerome is Bent On Having Him Brought Before Commission of Lunacy—Delmas Responsible for Evelyn's Exposure.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, March 2.—The Thaw trial enters its seventh week on Monday and it would seem that unless some radical change in the course of procedure occurs it will be at least two weeks and possibly three before the jury renders a verdict.

That District Attorney Jerome has no intention of letting the case ever go to the jury if he can possibly prevent it, there appears no longer to be the semblance of a doubt. The prosecutor has made it perfectly plain that with the consent of the defense he would gladly have the matter come before a commission in lunacy, rather than before a court of la w. Mr. Jerome does not believe that Thaw is in a proper condition of mind to be on trial. Time after time when Mr. Delmas, the leading attorney for the defense, has interrupted him during his cross-examination of witnesses with objections of various kinds, Mr. Jerome has retorted hotly: "You forced me into this."

The district attorney especially had no taste for the cross-examination of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw. He endeavored to avoid it by having experts testify first, hoping to gain from them enough important admissions as to Thaw's present state of mind upon which to predicate an application for a commission and he consequently will not take that step until 'some of the State's alienists have gone upon the stand.

Dr. Allan McL. Hamilton, who was employed for a time by the defense, and who visited Thaw in the Tombs, is expected to be the most important expert witness for the prosecution. Dr. Hamilton is known to have expressed the opinion that Thaw's insanity was of a lasting character. Mr. Jerome was laying the foundation for Dr. Hamilton's testimony when an adjournment was taken Friday afternoon. He asked Dr. Evans, witness for the defense, if Dr. Hamilton was not regarded highly as an authority on nervous diseases. Dr. Evans refused to answer and Justice Fitzgerald took the point under consideration. The judge also reserved decision on the question raised by Mr. Jerome as to whether or not he should be permitted to quote from various medical works as to the effects of various mental diseases.

Thaw seems apprehensive of his fate only as it relates to an asylum for the criminal insane. The thought of the death chair, it is said, has never once entered his mind. He has been in constant fear, however, that there might be a "conspiracy" to "railroad him off to an asylum." Within the last two days the defendant has called upon his attorneys for an assurance that they would not enter into an agreement with the district attorney for the appointment of a commission. They gave him their promise to fight to the utmost to have the case passed upon by the present jury.

Dr. Britton D. Evans, who declared Thaw to be suffering from a "brain storm" when he shot White, will again be questioned Monday morning. It will make his fourth day under cross-examination.

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, Mrs. William Thaw, and the Countess of Yarmouth visited the defendant in the Tombs today.

INCREASE OF FREIGHT RATES

Denied That Southern Roads Advocate 10 Per Cent Advance.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, March 2.—A press dispatch appeared in the morning papers of today dated Baltimore, to the effect that at a meeting of the trunk line association in New York on Saturday 23, Southern roads had united in a demand for an advance in freight rates "throughout the schedules" and that they would insist upon such demand in oposition to the reported willingness of lines north of Washington to assent to a smaller increase. Mr. L. Green freight traffic manager, Southern Railway, says that there is no truth in the report from Baltimore that "the Southern Roads" were not represented at the alleged meting of the trunk line association and furthermore that they did not at such meeting or any other meeting propose an advance of ten per cent., throughout the schedules" of freight rates.

SEABOARD MEETING AT HAMLET

President Garrett and General Manager Whittlesey Will be There

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., March 2.—The general officers operating officers, including the superintendents and representatives of all branches of the traffic department of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, have been directed to proceed to Hamlet, N. C., to meet at 9:30 A. M., Monday, President W. A. Garrett, and General Manager T. F. Whittlesey. The meeting will be for the introduction of Mr. Whittlesey to the officials of the Seaboard and for a general outlining by the new general manager of the policy of his administration. The Hamlet meeting will be followed by a week's inspection trip of the Seaboard by President Garrett and General Manager Whittlesey, accompanied by A. W. Towsley, formerly assistant to the late President Walter.

SENATOR TILLMAN ON CANAL SCANDAL

Wants to Know Particulars of Rejection of Bid of Oliver and Company.

HOCUS POCUS IN THE GAME

Suspicion Strong That Some Interest Defeated Oliver Bid—His Partner Says It is Allied Trans-continental Railways.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, March 2.—A resolution was presented by Senator Tillman to the Senate today calling on the President to send to the Senate "if in his judgement not incimpatible with the public interest, all papers and information in his possession in regard to the proposed letting of the contract for the construction of the Panama canal, which was bid for by W. J. Oliver and others, and to state the existing status."

In a speech supporting the resolution, Mr. Tillman said the whole country wanted the canal constructed with as little scandal as possible. "There have been some remarkable occurrences in connection with this work," he continued. Reference was then made to the resignation of Mr. Wallace, who he said was berated and abused by the Secretary of War. "Then came the information that Chairman Shonts was retaining his railroad business, that the canal work was insufficient to occupy his entire time, and then the statement that he was going out. And then came Mr. Stevens' resignation. Now comes the matter of Mr. Oliver's bid for the work."

Mr. Oliver, said Mr. Tillman, was an efficient and able contractor and his bid was the lowest. "But at once hocus pocus came into the game. As I understand it, Mr. Oliver has complied with every requirement. I may be a little suspicious but there has appeared to be a disposition to let in the bidders who were a little too greedy in their first bids. Now Oliver has disappeared and the army engineers are said to be put on the job. I want a little information" concluded Mr. Tillman.

Senator Carmack said he had prepared an identical resolution to that introduced by Mr. Tillman. It seemed to him that Mr. Oliver had received very bad treatment. He had spent $30,000 or $40,000 of his own money in complying with the requirements of the government and had made the lowest bid.

Because of objections, the resolution went over for future action under the rules.

Is Scheme of Railroads.

Augusta, Ga., March 2.—"We are down and out," said J. B. McDonald, President of the Panama Construction Company, in discussing the rejections of the bid of W. J. Oliver for the construction of the Panama Canal. They have taken the matter entirely out of our hands and it now rests with the President. The responsibility should be placed where it belongs. I cannot see why our bid should have been rejected except that it be due to the far reaching machinations or combinations of influences that have worked against the bid of W. J. Oliver and all bids that threaten actual construction of the big canal. Mr. McDonald intimated that the interests are those of the allied trans-continental railways.

"It is generally recognized that this agency has been at work to defeat the consummation of the project long before it ever took tangible shape. You will notice that one by one, the practical men who have been identified with the canal projects have been picked off by big financial interests. It is not difficult to trace the relation. This is very poor business, however, for the canal is bound to come; if not during this administration then during another. It is inevitable.

"I cannot see where the President and his associates are right and do not see how they will be able to build the canal. Sooner or later the ditch will have to be dug under the business-like management of a contractor who has figured the cost down to a minimum. Our company was willing to perform every item of the agreement required by the government. It was our understanding that when the conditions imposed by the government were met the contract went to our company. We have made every preparation at considerable expense and were prepared to begin shoveling dirt on or before the time limit of sixty days."

Mr. McDonald does not believe that there is anything in the report that W. J. Oliver will enter suit against the government for the preliminary expense of $40,000 incurred in making the bid.

"I am certainly not going to Washington to confer with him further in the matter. Our company will be dissolved as soon as possible and that will end the matter. I have not heard a word from Mr. Oliver since the rejection of the bid."

The Senate yesterday agreed to an amendment authorizing the payment of $15,000 to Senator Smoot for remuneration on account of expenses incurred by him in the contest for his seat. It was explained that Senator Smoot had paid his attorneys $20,000 and the amount in the bill would reimburse him partially for this expenditure.

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SHIP SUBSID Y FACES DEFEAT

Democrats in Senate Filibnster and Republicans Despair of Bill Tnis Session.

OPPOSITION WAS FIERCE

Only Hope of Republicans is to Bribe Gulf States Democratic Senators With Subsidized Line—Railroad Employes Bill.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, March 2.—There will be no ship subsidy legislation during the present session of Congress. This fact was practically conceded by all when the Senate supporters of the subsidy bill agreed late today to allow the subject to go over until tomorrow. The failure of the measure will be due to the opposition of Democratic Senators, which was so pronounced as to cause them to engage in a filibuster for more than an hour to prevent consideration of the measure at today's session.

The position of Democratic Senators was made known to their Republican colleagues early today by Senator Blackburn. The Republicans were, therefore, well aware of the probable fate of the bill when Senator Gallinger called the measure up and moved ed to concur in the House amendments. This was met by a counter motion to postpone the consideration until tomorrow, and when it was voted down various other motions, all of a dilitary vharacter were introduced b y Democratic Senators, and notwithstanding they were all defated, it was understood that the determined opposition at so late an hour in the session meant the ultimate defeat of the measure unless some agreement could be reached.

After this episode a cessation of hostilities until 5 o'clock was secured, and when the subject was again brought up at that hour, it was immediately made apparent that no progress had been made towards the harmonzing of the differences between the friends and opponents of the measure. Senator Gallinger suggested a further postponement until Monday, at 11 o'clock of the effort to obtain action. This proposition was agreed to. In the meantime there will be some effort to reach a common ground, but no one hopes for success. The principal opposition today came from Democratic Senators, who were interested in the commerce of the Gulf of Mexico, and it has been suggested that if further provision could be made in that interest they would accept the bill. Other Democratic Senators, however, oppose the measure for no other reasons, and if the Gulf States element should desist in its opposition it would be renewed by those who base their antagonism on other grounds.

The conference report on the bill limiting the hours of service of railway employes was considered, but final action was not taken. By resolution the Senate extended its committee organization to the Sixtieth Congress.

An evening session was held, at which eulogies were pronounced on the lives of the late Representative Rixey, of Virginia; Adams, of Wisconsin; Ketchum and Flack, of New York.

DR. KILGO SPEAKS IN NEW YORK.

Says South is Tired of Its Old Leaders—"Great Unknown South."

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, March 2.—The third annual banquet of the New York Alumni Association of Trinity College, North Carolina, was held at the quarters of the Aldine Association tonight. Willis B. Dowd, president of the association, presided.

Among the speakers were: John C. Kilgo, president of Trinity; Dr. John F. Crowell, former president of Trinity, and Walter H. Page, editor of World's Work.

In his address Dr. Kilgo said that the South is now coming into her own. "There is a great unknown South, a busy working South," said the speaker, "and, certainly, this South is bringing great things to pass, not alone in industrial and commercial life, but in the sentiment of the people. The South has grown tired of its old kind of leadership, and there is a longing for some one to come forward and voice its new sentiment. Never before was there felt throughout the South by worthy men in every line of work a deeper humiliation than that recently provoked by the rough and sectional utterances of Senator Tillman in the United States Senate. The day has now passed when the builders of the New South will applaud the voice of sectional strife. The fact is men in the South have grown tired of the prolonged struggle over the negro problem. It has been settled by nature that the white race and the black form two distinct races, and it shall be the duty of the South to grapple intelligently with the great problem. Those of us who know the negro from the standpoint of the fields and the shops know too much of the situation to be swept away by delusions of those who have never worked with them in the industrial life of the South."

Dr. Kilgo said that the people of the South are Americans, and that "we as Americans are becoming tired of not being recognized as Americans, working loyally for the country's good."

The German cruiser Bremen, the first of the foreign warships assigned to participate in the naval programme during the Jamestown Exposition, arrived in Hampton Roads yesterday.

10c Lawns, 7 1-2c; 8c Ginghams, 5 1-2c Monday at Gaylord's Sun Bleach Sale. **

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NICE LOT of furniture, clean and as good as new, to be sold at a bargain within the next few days. Apply to Mrs. W. O. Brown, 815 North Fifth street. mch 3-1t*

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TWO AND A HALF MESS, of Wilmington, N. C., will please address box 454. We are desirous of forming a lodge of Orangemen in this town and State, and all who wish to join will address as above. J. R. Schmidt. mch 3-3t

WANTED—At the Colonial Inn, five white girls for waiters in the dining room. mch 3-2t*

FOR SALE—Two farm mules and one small buggy horse. Apply to J. J. Darby, 102 South Front street. m 3 1t

REFINED LADY—Wishes a position as companion or matron; understands housekeeping from kitchen to parlor. Not afraid of work. Best references given. Address Miss F, care Morning Star. mch 3 2t*

WANTED—Salesmen of ability and neat appearance to call on all merchants in their territory; elegant side line convenient to carry; good commissions; prompt remittance. Belmont Mfg. Co., Cincinnati, O. mch 3 1t*

WANTED—Traveling salesmen to sell our line of fancy fruit ciders. Salary or commission basis. Red Cross Vinegar Co., St. Louis, Mo. mch 3 1t

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TO FERTILIZER MANUFACTURERS—The advertiser, a chemist, has invited chemical counds that will resist the acid of the fertilizers, and the chlorine that now rots the sacks the fertilizer is put in, causing no end of trouble, as you all know. Will sell the secret either as a whole or by state rights, or shop right; would rather sell as a whole and assign the patent to buyer, or I will become partner and manufacture said resist compounds for the trade right in town or anywhere. Address or call A. N. D. care Bonitz Apartment House, Second and Market streets, Wilmington, N. C., for three days, and later address Chemist in care of A. N. D. Post Office box 66 Charlotte, N. C. mch 3 1t*

FOR SALE CHEAP—The house on the Cronenberg lot, on Fourth street, between Chestnut and Grace streets. Come at once to 410 North Front street, or phone 1126. John F. Garrell. mch 3 6t.

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WANTED—Energetic lady or gentleman for traveling position. Good line. Permanent position. Splendid chance for advancement. Experience unnecessary. $12 weekly to start. Expenses advanced. Address G. G. Clows, Wilmington, N. C. mch 3 1t*

FOR SALE—374 acres land, between Cape Fear and Black rivers in and near Lyon swamp, Bladen county, 100 acres in White Oak Swamp cleared. Has produced 85 to 90 bushels of corn per acre. No fertilizer needed; adjoining land can not be bought for $50 per acre. If not sold within next 30 days, same will be rented for the year. Title good. Price $4,488. C. D. Koonce, Chadbourn, N. C. fe 24 su we fri

WANTED—Two young men as boarders in private family. For terms, etc., address Box 483, City. mch 2-2t

ADVERTISER—Who is a thorough bookkeeper, accountant and correspondent, desires immediate position. Accustomed to mill, factory, cotton, export, wholesale, retail accounts, correspondence and general office work. Address "Rapid," care Star, stating salary offered. mch 2-2t*

NOTICE—I have opened a retail grocery on the corner of Fourth and Queen streets, where I will keep constantly on hand a full and fresh stock of goods in my line. J. C. Vereen. mch1-3t

POSITION WANTED—By young lady stenographer. Good references. Address Miss E., care Star. fe 28-6t

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NOT A CANDIDATE.

March 2, 1907.

To the Morning Star:

I note in your issue of today an advertisement which purports to present my name as a candidate for Alderman from the Third Ward. This notice was put in without my knowledge or consent. I am not a candidate for Alderman and trust you will make this correction for me.

A. SILVERMAN.

mch 3 1t.

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